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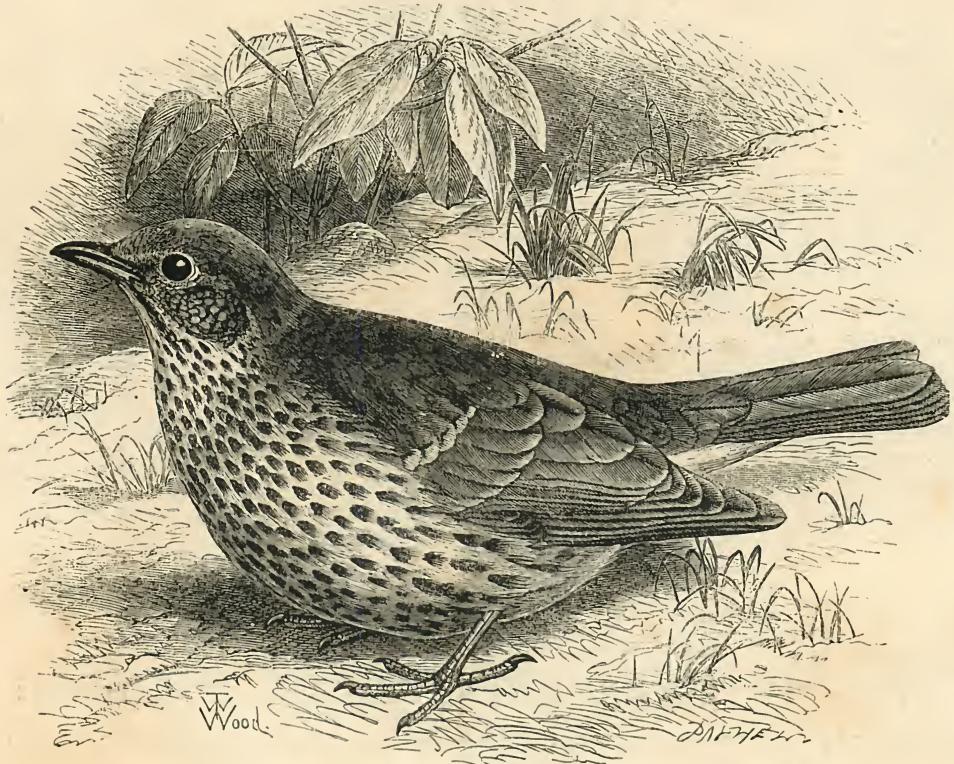
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D. OF M.	D. OF W.	ANNIVERSARIES, FESTIVALS, OCCURRENCES, ETC.	SUN.			MOON.			DURATION OF MOONLIGHT.												HIGH WATER AT				Day of Year.
			Rises.	Souths after Noon.	Sets.	Rises.	Sets. Morn.	Aftern.	Before Sunrise.	Moon's Age.	After Sunset.	4	6	8	10	12	Morn.	Aftern.	Morn.	Aftern.	London Bridge.	Liverpool Dock.	Morn.	Aftern.	
1	F	<i>Circumcision</i>	8	8	3 45	4	0	1 50	0	5		23					8 25	8 53	5 15	5 41	1				
2	S	General Wolfe born, 1727	8	8	4 13	4	1	3 3	0	19		24					9 25	10 2	6 9	6 41	2				
3	S	2ND SUND. AFT. CHRISTMAS	8	8	4 41	4	2	4 16	0	35		25					10 37	11 10	7 18	7 53	3				
4	M	Loss of the Amazon, 1852	8	8	5 9	4	3	5 29	0	58		26					11 39	—	8 26	8 55	4				
5	Tu	Admiral Gage died, 1861	8	8	5 36	4	4	6 41	1	31		27					0 6	0 30	9 22	9 46	5				
6	W	EPIPHANY	8	7	6 3	4	6	7 46	2	16		28					0 55	1 15	10 11	10 31	6				
7	Th	Calais taken, 1558	8	7	6 29	4	7	8 39	3	19		○					1 35	1 57	10 51	11 13	7				
8	F	Lucian. Prince Albert Victor of Wales born, 1864	8	6	6 55	4	8	9 18	4	33		1					2 18	2 38	11 34	11 54	8				
9	S	Fire Insurance due	8	6	7 20	4	9	9 47	5	55		2					2 57	3 17	—	0 13	.9				
10	S	1ST SUND. AFT. EPIPHANY	8	5	7 45	4	10	10 9	7	19		3					3 37	3 55	0 33	0 53	10				
11	M	Law Hilary Term begins	8	5	8 9	4	12	10 25	8	43		4					4 15	4 35	1 11	1 31	11				
12	Tu	Coronation of Queen Elizabeth, 1559	8	4	8 32	4	14	10 38	10	6		5					4 55	5 15	1 51	2 11	12				
13	W	Cambridge Lent Term begins	8	3	8 55	4	15	10 49	11	29		6					5 35	5 55	2 31	2 51	13				
14	Th	Oxford Lent Term begins	8	2	9 17	4	17	11 1	Morn.			○					6 20	6 43	3 11	3 36	14				
15	F	Henry Ellis died, 1869	8	1	9 39	4	19	11 16	0	54		8					7 10	7 35	3 59	4 26	15				
16	S	Duke of Athol died, 1864	8	0	10 0	4	20	11 35	2	21		9					8 0	8 30	4 51	5 16	16				
17	S	2ND SUND. AFT. EPIPHANY	7	59	10 20	4	21	11 57	3	51		10					9 5	9 45	5 46	6 21	17				
18	M	<i>Priscia. Old Twelfth Day</i>	7	58	10 39	4	23	Aftern.	5	17		11					10 28	11 10	7 1	7 44	18				
19	Tu	Length of day, 8h, 27m.	7	57	10 58	4	24	1 24	6	35		12					11 48	—	8 26	9 4	19				
20	W	<i>Fabian, Bp. and Martyr</i>	7	56	11 16	4	26	2 33	7	37		13					0 20	0 50	9 36	10 6	20				
21	Th	<i>Agnes, Virgin and Martyr</i>	7	55	11 33	4	28	3 54	8	20		○					1 20	1 48	10 36	11 4	21				
22	F	Priocce Christian born, 1831	7	54	11 49	4	30	5 18	8	51		15					2 15	2 37	11 31	11 53	22				
23	S	William Pitt died, 1806	7	53	12 5	4	32	6 41	9	12		16					2 59	3 20	—	0 15	23				
24	S	SEPTUAGESIMA SUNDAY	7	52	12 20	4	33	7 58	9	26		17					3 40	4 0	0 36	0 56	24				
25	M	Princess Royal married, 1858	7	51	12 34	4	34	9 12	9	39		18					4 20	4 38	1 16	1 36	25				
26	Tu	Dr. Jenner died, 1823	7	50	12 47	4	36	10 23	9	50		19					4 55	5 15	1 54	2 11	26				
27	W	Peter the Great died, 1725	7	49	13 0	4	38	11 35	10	0		20					5 30	5 45	2 31	2 46	27				
28	Th	Battle of Aliwal, 1846	7	48	13 11	4	40	Morn.	10	11		21					6 5	6 22	3 1	3 21	28				
29	F	George III. died, 1820	7	46	13 22	4	42	0 46	10	23		○					6 40	6 58	3 38	3 56	29				
30	S	Charles I. beheaded, 1649	7	45	13 32	4	44	1 58	10	38		23					7 15	7 40	4 14	4 31	30				
31	S	SEXAGESIMA SUNDAY	7	43	13 41	4	46	3 12	10	57		24					8 5	8 39	4 56	5 21	31				



"LES ROSES," BY PORTAELS—FROM "THE ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS."

THE ILLUSTRATED LONDON ALMANACK FOR 1875.

THE CALENDAR.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF THE CALENDAR FOR THE YEAR OF OUR LORD 1875.

		Gregorian, or New Calendar.	Julian, or Old Calendar.
Golden Number	...	14	14
Epact...	...	XXIII.	4
Solar Cycle	...	8	8
Roman Indiction	...	3	3
Dominical Letter	...	C	E
Septuagesima Sunday	...	Jan. 24	Feb. 9
Ash Wednesday	...	Feb. 10	" 26
Easter Sunday	...	March 23	April 13
Ascension Day	...	May 6	May 22
Peacock—White Sunday	...	May 16	June 1
1st Sunday in Advent	...	Nov. 28	Nov. 30

The year 1875 is the latter part of the 5635th and the beginning of the 5636th year since the creation of the world, according to the Jews. The year 5636 commences on Sept. 30, 1875.

The year 1875 answers to the 6585th of the Julian Period, to the 2628th from the foundation of Rome, to the 2651st year of the Olympiads, and to the year 7383-4 of the Byzantine Era.

The year 1292 of the Mohammedan Era commences on Feb. 7, 1875; and Ramadān (month of abstinence observed by the Turks) commences on Oct. 1, 1875.

MOHAMMEDAN CALENDAR FOR THE YEAR 1875.

Year.	Names of Months.	Month begins.	
1291.	Dulhagee	January 9, 1875	
1292.	Mulharram	January 9	
"	Saphar	March 9	
"	Rabia	April 7	
"	Latter Rabia	May 7	
"	Gomada	June 5	
"	Latter Gomada	July 5	
"	Rajab	August 3	
"	Schabān	September 2	
"	Ramadān	October 1	
"	Shawal	October 31	
"	Dulkraadah	November 29	
"	Dulhagee	December 29	
"	Mulharram	January 28, 1876	

CALENDAR OF THE JEWS FOR THE YEAR 1875.

	5635.	1875.	NEW MOON, FASTS, AND FEASTS.
Sebat	1	January 7	New Moon
Adar	1	February 6	New Moon
"	14	19	Little Purim
Vendar	1	March 8	New Moon
"	11	18	Fast of Esther
"	14	21	Purim
"	15	22	
Nisan	1	April 6	New Moon
"	15	20	PASSOVER
"	16	21	
Yiar	1	May 6	New Moon
"	18	23	33 of the Homer
Sivan	1	June 4	New Moon
"	6	9	SHBUOT
"	7	10	
Tamuz	1	July 4	New Moon
"	17	20	Fast of Tamuz
Ab	1	August 2	New Moon
"	9	10	FAST OF AB
Elul	1	September 1	New Moon
5636.			
Tisri	1	September 30	New Year
"	4	October 3	Fast of Gueladiah
"	10	9	KIPUR
"	13	14	TABERNACLES
"	16	15	
"	21	20	Hosanna Raba
"	22	21	FEAST OF THE 8TH DAY
"	23	22	
Hesvan	1	30	New Moon
Kislev	1	November 29	New Moon
"	25	December 23	CHANUCA
Tebet	1	29	New Moon

FIXED AND MOVABLE FESTIVALS, ANNIVERSARIES, &c.

Epiphany	...	Jan. 6	Pentecost—Whit Sunday	May 16
Septuagesima Sunday	...	24	Trinity Sunday	23
Quinquagesima—Shrove S.	Feb. 7		Birth of Queen Victoria	24
Ash Wednesday	...	10	Corpus Christi	27
Quadragesima Sunday	...	14	Accession of Queen Victoria	June 20
St. David	...	March 1	Proclamation	21
St. Patrick	...	17	St. John Baptist—Midsum-	
Palm Sunday	...	21	mer Day	24
Annunciation—Lady Day	...	25	St. Michael—Michaelmas	Sept. 29
Good Friday	...	26	Day	28
Easter Sunday	...	28	Birth of Prince of Wales	Nov. 9
Low Sunday	...	April 4	1st Sunday in Advent	28
St. George	...	28	St. Andrew	30
Rogation Sunday	...	May 2	St. Thomas	Dec. 21
Ascension Day—Holy Thursday	...	6	CHRISTMAS DAY	25

BEGINNINGS OF THE SEASONS, 1875.

	D. H. M.
Sun enters Capricornus and Winter begins	1874, Dec. 21 11 0 p.m.
" Aries Spring	1875, March 20 Midnight
" Cancer Summer	June 21 9 0 p.m.
" Libra Autumn	Sept. 23 11 0 a.m.
" Capricornus Winter	Dec. 22 5 0 a.m.

The Sun will consequently be in the Winter signs 89 days 1 hours

" " Spring 92 " 21 "

" " Summer 93 " 14 "

" " Autumn 89 " 18 "

The Sun will be on the Equator and going North March 20

The Sun will reach his greatest North declination June 21 9 0 p.m.

The Sun will be on the Equator and going South Sept. 23 11 0 a.m.

The Sun will reach his greatest South declination Dec. 22 5 0 a.m.

The Sun will be North of the Equator (comprising the periods of Spring and Summer) 186 days 11 hours.

The Sun will be South of the Equator (comprising the periods of Autumn and Winter) 178 days 19 hours.

The length of the year is 365 days 6 hours.

ASTRONOMICAL SYMBOLS AND ABBREVIATIONS.

○ The Sun	33 Leda	88 Thisbe
○ New Moon	39 Letitia	89 Julia
○ First Quarter	40 Harmonia	90 Antiope
○ Full Moon	41 Daphne	91 Egeria
○ Last Quarter	42 Isis	92 Undina
○ Mercury	43 Ariadne	93 Minerva
○ Venus	44 Nysa	94 Aurora
○ or the Earth	45 Eugenia	95 Arethusa
○ Mars	46 Hestia	96 Zelie
○ Jupiter	47 Aglaia	97 Clotho
○ Saturn	48 Doris	98 Ianthe
○ Uranus	49 Pales	99 Dike
○ Neptune	50 Virginia	100 Hecate
○ Ceres	51 Nemausa	101 Helena
○ Pallas	52 Europa	102 Miriam
○ Juno	53 Calypso	103 Hera
○ Vesta	54 Alexandra	104 Clymene
○ Astraea	55 Pandora	105 Artemis
○ Hebe	56 Melete	106 Diome
○ Iris	57 Mnemosyne	107 Camilla
○ Flora	58 Concordia	108 Hecuba
○ Metis	59 Olympia	109 Felicitas
○ Hygeia	60 Echo	110 Lydia
○ Parthenope	61 Danaë	111 Ate
○ Victoria	62 Erato	112 Iphigenia
○ Egeria	63 Ansonia	113 Amathaea
○ Irene	64 Angelina	114 Cassandra
○ Eunomia	65 Maximiliana	115 Thrya
○ Psyche	66 Maia	116 Tirona
○ Thetis	67 Asia	117 Lomia
○ Melpomene	68 Leto	118 Peitho
○ Fortuna	69 Hesperia	119 Althea
○ Massilia	70 Panopea	120 Lachos
○ Lutetia	71 Niobe	121 Hermione
○ Calliope	72 Feronia	122 Gerda
○ Thalia	73 Clytie	123 Brumhilda
○ Themis	74 Galatea	124 Alcestis
○ Phoebe	75 Eurydice	125 Liberatrix
○ Proserpine	76 Freia	126 Velleda
○ Euterpe	77 Frigga	127 Johanna
○ Bellona	78 Diana	128 Nemesis
○ Amphitrite	79 Euryomme	129 Antigone
○ Urania	80 Sappho	130 Electra
○ Euphrosyne	81 Terpsichore	131 Vala
○ Pomona	82 Alcmena	132 Zeltha
○ Polyhymnia	83 Beatrix	133 Cyrene
○ Circe	84 Clio	134 Sophrosyne
○ Leucothea	85 Io	135 Asteroid
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The Symbol of Conjunction, or having the same Longitude or Right Ascension.

□ Quadrature, or differing 90° in Longitude or Right Ascension.

○ Opposition, or differing 180° in Longitude or Right Ascension.

LAW TERMS, 1875.

As settled by Statutes 2 Geo. IV., and 1 Will. IV., cap. 70, s. 6 (passed July 23, 1830); and 1 Will. IV., cap. 3, s. 2 (passed Dec. 23, 1830).

Hilary Term ... begins January 11 and ends February 1

Easter Term ... " April 15 " May 8

Trinity Term ... " May 22 " June 12

Michaelmas Term ... " November 2 " November 25

UNIVERSITY TERMS, 1875.

OXFORD TERM.	BEGINS.	DIVIDES.	ENDS.
Lent	January 14		March 20
Easter	March 31		May 14
Trinity	May 15		July 10
Michaelmas	October 11		December 17
		The Act, July 6.	
CAMBRIDGE TERM.	BEGINS.	DIVIDES.	ENDS.
Lent	January 13		Feb. 14, Midnight
Easter	April 2		May 14, Noon
Michaelmas	October 1		Nov. 8, Noon
		Dec. 16	
		The Commencement, June 22.	

THE ILLUSTRATED LONDON ALMANACK FOR 1875.

THE QUEEN AND ROYAL FAMILY.

THE QUEEN.—VICTORIA, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, &c., Queen, Defender of the Faith. Her Majesty was born at Kensington Palace, May 24, 1819, succeeded to the throne June 20, 1837, on the death of her uncle King William IV.; was crowned June 28, 1838; and married, Feb. 10, 1840, to his Royal Highness Prince Albert. Her Majesty is the only child of his late Royal Highness Edward, Duke of Kent, son of King George III. The children of her Majesty are:—

Her Royal Highness Victoria Adelaide Mary Louisa, PRINCESS ROYAL OF ENGLAND AND PRUSSIA, born Nov. 21, 1840, and married to his Royal Highness William, the Crown Prince of Germany, Jan. 25, 1858, and has had issue, three sons and four daughters.

His Royal Highness Albert Edward, PRINCE OF WALES, born Nov. 9, 1841; married, March 10, 1863, Alexandra of Denmark, (Princess of Wales), born Dec. 1, 1844, and has issue, Prince Albert Victor, born Jan. 8, 1864, George Frederick Ernest Albert, born June 3, 1865; Louise Victoria Alexandra Dagmar, born Feb. 20, 1867; Victoria Alexandra Olga Mary, born July 6, 1868; and Maude Charlotte Mary Victoria, born Nov. 25, 1869.

Her Royal Highness Alice Maud Mary, born April 25, 1843; married to H.R.H. Prince Frederick Louis of Hesse, July 1, 1862, and has issue four daughters and one son: second son killed by accident, May, 1873.

His Royal Highness Alfred Ernest Albert, Duke of Edinburgh, born Aug. 6, 1844; married the Grand Duchess Marie of Russia, Jan. 23, 1874.

Her Royal Highness Helena Augusta Victoria, born May 25, 1846; married to his Royal Highness Prince Frederick Christian Charles Augustus of Schleswig-Holstein-Sonderburg-Augustenburg, July 5, 1866, and has issue two sons and three daughters.

Her Royal Highness Louisa Carolina Alberta, born March 18, 1848; married to the Marquis of Lorne, eldest son of the Duke of Argyll, March, 1871.

His Royal Highness Arthur William Patrick Albert, Duke of Connaught, born May 1, 1850.

His Royal Highness Leopold George Duncan Albert, born April 7, 1853.

Her Royal Highness Beatrice Mary Victoria Feodore, born April 14, 1857.

George Frederick Alexander Charles Ernest Augustus, K.G., DUKE OF CUMBERLAND, cousin to her Majesty, born May 27, 1819, married Princess Frederica of Mecklenburg-Strelitz, and has issue a son and two daughters. George Frederick William Charles, K.G., DUKE OF CAMBRIDGE, cousin to her Majesty, born March 26, 1819. Augusta Wilhelmina Louisa, DUCHESS OF CAMBRIDGE, niece of the Landgrave of Hesse and aunt to her Majesty, born July 25, 1795; married, May 7, 1818, the late Duke of Cambridge. Augusta Caroline Charlotte Elizabeth Mary Sophia Louis, daughter of the late Duke of Cambridge and cousin to her Majesty, born July 19, 1822, married, June 28, 1843, to Frederick, Grand Duke of Mecklenburg-Strelitz, and has issue a son. Mary Adelaide Wilhelmina Elizabeth, daughter of the late Duke of Cambridge and cousin to her Majesty, born Nov. 27, 1833, married Prince Teck, June 7, 1866, has issue two sons and two daughters.

HER MAJESTY'S CHIEF OFFICERS OF STATE.

First Lord of the Treasury	Right Hon. Benjamin Disraeli.
Lord High Chancellor	Right Hon. Lord Cairns.
Lord President of the Council	Right Hon. Duke of Richmond.
Lord Privy Seal	Right Hon. Earl of Malmesbury.
Chancellor of the Exchequer	Right Hon. Sir S. H. Northcote, Bart.
Home Department	Right Hon. Richard Assheton Cross.
Secretaries of State	Right Hon. Earl of Derby.
Colonies	Right Hon. Earl of Carnarvon.
War	Right Hon. Gathorne Hardy.
India	Right Hon. Marquis of Salisbury.
First Lord of the Admiralty	Right Hon. George Ward Hunt.
Postmaster-General	Right Hon. Lord John J. R. Manners.

SCOTLAND.

Lord High Constable	Earl of Erroll.
Keeper of the Great Seal	Earl of Selkirk.
Deputy Keeper of the Great Seal	J. H. Mackenzie.
Master of the Household	Duke of Argyl.
Standard Bearer	Earl of Lauderdale.
Lord High Commissioner	Earl of Rosslyn.
Lord Justice General	Right Hon. John Inglis.
Lord Justice Clerk	Right Hon. Sir J. Moncreiff.
Lord Advocate	Right Hon. E. S. Gordon.
Solicitor-General	J. Millar, Q.C.
Lord Clerk Register	Right Hon. Sir W. Gibson Craig.
Deputy Clerk Register	W. P. Dundas.
Commander of the Forces	Major-Gen. R. Rumley.
Assistant Adjutant-General	Hon. E. Colborne.

IRELAND.

Lord Lieutenant	Duke of Abercorn.
Chief Secretary	Sir M. Hicks-Beach.
Under Secretary	T. H. Burke.
Commander of the Forces	General Lord Sandhurst.
State Steward	G. Lambert, Esq.
Private Secretary	A. P. Cockrell.
Controller	Lieutenant-Colonel J. A. Caulfield.
Chamberlain	Lieutenant-Colonel B. Bernard.
Lord Chancellor	(In Commission.)
Secretary to the Lord Chancellor	J. Upington.
Master of the Rolls	Right Hon. F. Sullivan.
Attorney-General	Right Hon. J. T. Ball, LL.D.
Solicitor-General	Right Hon. H. Ormsby.
Military Secretary	Lieutenant-Colonel G. N. Fendall.
Ulster-King-of-Arms	Sir Bernard Burke, LL.D.

PRINCE OF WALES'S HOUSEHOLD.

Comptroller and Treasurer	General Sir Wm. Knollys, K.C.B.
Private Secretary	Francis Knollys, Esq.

HER MAJESTY'S HOUSEHOLD.

LORD STEWARD'S DEPARTMENT.

Lord Steward	Earl Beauchamp.
Treasurer	Earl Percy.
Comptroller	Lord H. Somerset.
Master of the Household	Sir T. Cowell, K.C.B.
Secretary of Board of Green Cloth	E. M. Browell, Esq.
Paymaster of the Household	W. Hampshire, Esq.

LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S DEPARTMENT.

Lord Chamberlain	Marquis of Hertford.
Vice-Chamberlain	Viscount Barrington.
Comptroller	Hon. S. C. B. Ponsonby.
Chief Clerk	T. C. March, Esq.
Keeper of the Privy Purse	General Sir T. M. Biddulph, K.C.B.
Private Secretary to her Majesty	Colonel H. F. Ponsonby.
Secretary	H. T. Harrison, Esq.
Captain of the Yeomen of the Guard	Lord Skelmersdale.
Captain of the Gentlemen-at-Arms	Marquis of Exeter.
Master of the Ceremonies	Major-Gen. Hon. Sir E. Cust, G.C.H.
Lord High Almoner	Dean of Windsor.
Dean of Chapel Royal	Bishop of London.
Sub-Dean	Rev. F. Garden.
Clerk of the Closet	Bishop of Worcester.
Resident Chaplain	Dean of Windsor.
Mistress of the Robes	Duchess of Wellington.
Groom	H. D. Erskine.
Physician in Ordinary	Sir Wm. Jenner, Bart.
Sergeant Surgeon	Sir Wm. Fergusson, Bart.

MASTER OF THE HORSE'S DEPARTMENT.

Master of the Horse	Earl of Bradford.
Clerk Marshal	Lord Alfred Paget.
Crown Equerry and Secretary	Colonel G. A. Maude, C.B.

Master of the Buckhounds	Earl of Hardwicke.
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CITY OFFICERS.

LORD MAYOR—Right Hon. David Henry Stone, Bassishaw, 1864.

SHERIFFS—Mr. Alderman Ellis and James Shaw, Esq.

CHAMBERLAIN—Benjamin Scott, Esq.

RECODER—Right Hon. Russell Gurney, Q.C., M.P.

COMMON SERJEANT—Sir Thomas R. Chambers, Q.C., M.P.

COMMISSIONER OF POLICE—Col. Jas. Fraser.

ALDERMEN.

THE FOLLOWING HAVE PASSED THE CHAIR.

Sidney, Thomas, Esq.	Billingsgate	1844
Finnis, Thomas Quested, Esq.	Tower	1848
Carden, Sir Robert Walter	Bridge Without	1849
Carter, John, Esq.	Cornhill	1851
Rose, Sir William Anderson	Queenhithe	1855
Lawrence, William, Esq., M.P.	Bread-street	1856
Phillips, Sir Benjamin S.	Farringdon Within	1857
Gabriel, Sir Thomas, Bart.	Vintry	1857
Allen, William F., Esq.	Cheap	1858
Lawrence, Sir James Clarke, M.P.	Walbrook	1860
Dakin, Sir Thomas	Candlewick	1861
Besley, Robert, Esq.	Aldersgate	1862
Gibbons, Sir John Sills, Bart.	Castle Barnard	1863
Waterlow, Sir Sydney, Bart., M.P.	Langbourne	1863
Lusk, Sir Andrew, Bart., M.P.	Aldgate	1863

THE FOLLOWING HAVE NOT PASSED THE CHAIR.

Cotton, W. J. Richmond, Esq.	Lime-street	1866
Owden, W. T., Esq.	Bishopsgate	1868
White, Charles, Esq.	Portsoken	1871
Whetham, Charles, Sir	Bridge Within	1871
Truscott, Sir Francis W.	Dowgate	1871
McArthur, William, M.P.	Coleman-street	1872
Ellis, John W., Esq.	Broad-street	1872
Figgins, J., Esq.	Farringdon Without	1873
Paterson, John, Esq.	Cordwainer	1873
Henry Edmund Knight, Esq.	Cripplegate	1874

TABLE OF KINGS AND QUEENS OF ENGLAND.

NORMAN LINE.

Began to Reign.

William I.	Oct. 14, 1066
William II.	Sept. 9, 1087
Henry I.	Aug. 2, 1100
Stephen	Dec. 2, 1135

FAMILY OF PLANTAGENET.

Henry II.	Oct. 25, 1154
Richard I.	July 6, 1199
John	April 6, 1199
Henry III.	Oct. 19, 1216
Edward I.	Nov. 16, 1272

HOUSE OF STUART.

James I.	March 24, 1603
Charles I.	March 27, 1625
Henry VIII.	April 22, 1509
Edward VI.	Jan. 28, 1547
Mary I.	July 6, 1553
Elizabeth	Nov. 17, 1558

THE COMMONWEALTH FROM 1649 TO 1660, CROMWELL, PROTECTOR.

Charles II.	Jan. 30, 1660
James II.	Feb. 6, 1685
William and Mary	Feb. 13, 1689
William alone, from	Dec. 28, 1694
Anne	March 8, 1702

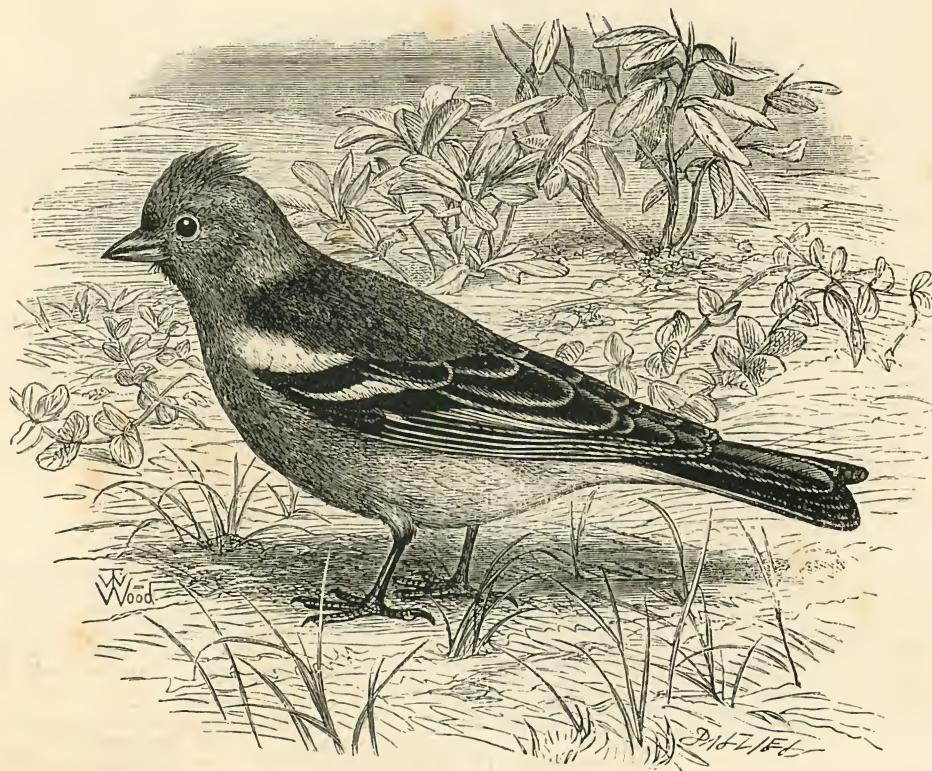
HOUSE OF YORK.

Henry IV.	Sept. 29, 1399
Henry V.	March 23, 1413
Henry VI.	Aug. 31, 1422
Edward IV.	March 1, 1461
Edward V.	April 9, 1483
Richard III.	June 22, 1483

BRUNSWICK FAMILY.

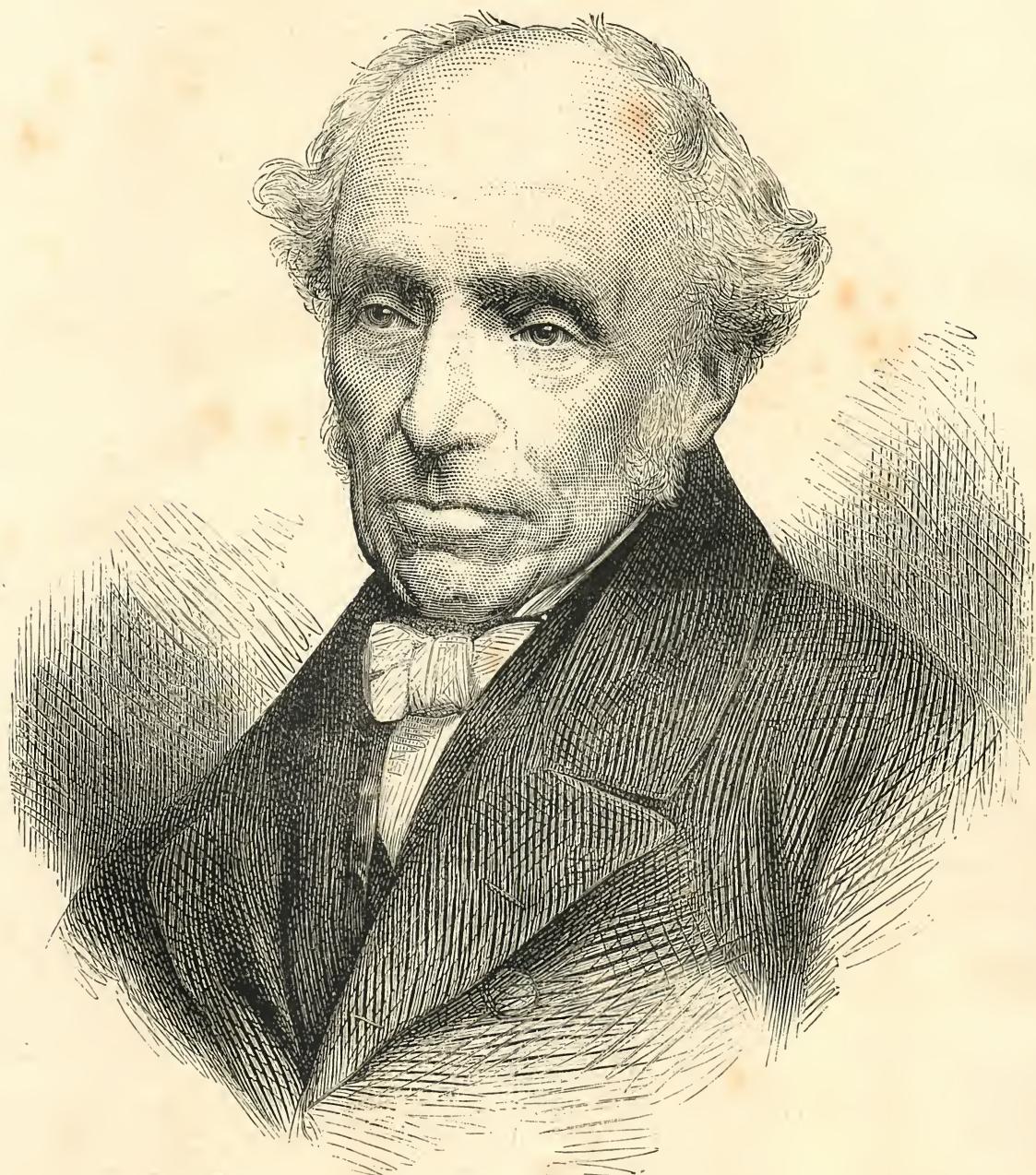
George I.	Aug. 1, 1714
George II.	June 11, 1727
George III.	Oct. 25, 1760
George IV.	Jan. 29, 1820
William IV.	June 26, 1830
Victoria	June 20, 1837

FEBRUARY.



CHAFFINCH.

D. OF M.	D. OF W.	ANNIVERSARIES, FESTIVALS, OCCURRENCES, ETC.	SUN.			MOON.			DURATION OF MOONLIGHT.						HIGH WATER AT				Day of Year.
			Rises.	Souths after Noon.	Sets.	Rises. Morn.	Sets. Morn.	H. M.	Before Sunrise.	Moon's Age.	After Sunset.	4 O'Clock.	6 8 10 12	London Bridge	Liverpool Dock	Morn.	Aftern.		
1	M	Law Hilary Term ends	7 41	13 50	4 48	4 25	11 26		25					9 15	9 58	5 55	6 31	32	
2	Iu	Purification of V. Mary	7 40	13 58	4 49	5 33		Aftern.	26					10 42	11 22	7 14	7 58	33	
3	W	Biot died, 1862	7 38	14 4 4	50	6 32	1 2		27					11 59	—	8 38	9 15	34	
4	Th	Fair on the Thames, 1814	7 36	14 10 4	52	7 17	2 13		28					0 30	0 55	9 46	10 11	35	
5	F	Sir Robert Peel born, 1788	7 34	14 16 4	54	7 49	3 33		29					1 20	1 45	10 36	11 1	36	
6	S	Queen Anne born, 1665	7 32	14 20 4	56	8 12	5 0		○					2 5	2 25	11 21	11 41	37	
7	S	QUINQUAGESIMA. SHROVE	7 30	14 24 4	57	8 29	6 23		1					2 45	3 5	—	0 1	38	
8	M	Half-Quarter Day [SUNDAY]	7 29	14 27 4	59	8 44	7 50		2					3 23	3 40	0 21	0 39	39	
9	Iu	The Sultan of Turkey born, 1830	7 27	14 29 5	0	8 57	9 15		3					4 0	4 17	0 56	1 16	40	
10	W	Ash Wednesday	7 25	14 30 5	2	9 10	10 40		4					4 36	4 55	1 33	1 52	41	
11	Th	Descartes died, 1650	7 24	14 30 5	4	9 22		Morn.	5					5 15	5 33	2 11	2 31	42	
12	F	Lady Jane Grey beheaded, 1554	7 22	14 30 5	6	9 39	0 9		6					5 55	6 15	2 49	3 11	43	
13	S	Glencoe Massacre, 1691	7 20	14 28 5	8	9 59	1 38		7					6 35	7 0	3 31	3 51	44	
14	S	QUADRAGESIMA. 1ST S. IN	7 18	14 27 5	10	10 30	3 6		8					7 25	7 57	4 16	4 41	45	
15	M	Card. Wiseman died, 1865 [LENT]	7 16	14 24 5	12	11 14	4 19		9					8 35	9 17	5 13	5 51	46	
16	Iu	Melancthon born, 1497	7 14	14 20 5	14		Aftern.	5 31	10					10 5	10 58	6 33	7 21	47	
17	W	Michael Angelo died, 1563	7 12	14 16 5	16	1 33		6 20	11					11 45	—	8 14	9 1	48	
18	Th	Luther died, 1546	7 11	14 11 5	18	2 54	6 52		12					0 22	0 53	9 38	10 9	49	
19	F	Cethin Colliery Accident, 1861	7 9	14 6	5 19	4 18	7 15		13					1 22	1 47	10 38	11 3	50	
20	S	Princess L. Vict. of Wales b., 1867	7 7	14 0	5 21	5 37	7 33		●					2 10	2 30	11 26	11 46	51	
21	S	2ND SUNDAY IN LENT	7 5	13 53	5 23	6 53	7 44		15					2 47	3 5	—	0 3	52	
22	M	James Barry died, 1806	7 3	13 45	5 25	8 5	7 57		16					3 25	3 40	0 21	0 41	53	
23	Iu	Sir George Smart died, 1867	7 1	13 37	5 27	9 17	8 8		17					3 55	4 10	0 56	1 11	54	
24	W	St. Matthias, Apostle	6 59	13 28	5 29	10 29	8 18		18					4 25	4 40	1 26	1 41	55	
25	Th	Sir C. Wren died, 1723	6 56	13 19	5 30	11 42	8 29		19					4 55	5 10	1 56	2 11	56	
26	F	Thomas Moore died, 1852	6 54	13 9	5 32	Morn.	8 42		20					5 25	5 40	2 26	2 41	57	
27	S	John Evelyn died, 1706	6 52	12 58	5 34	0 56	9 0		21					5 55	6 13	2 56	3 11	58	
28	S	3RD SUNDAY IN LENT	6 50	12 47	5 36	2 9	9 23		●					6 30	6 50	3 29	3 46	59	



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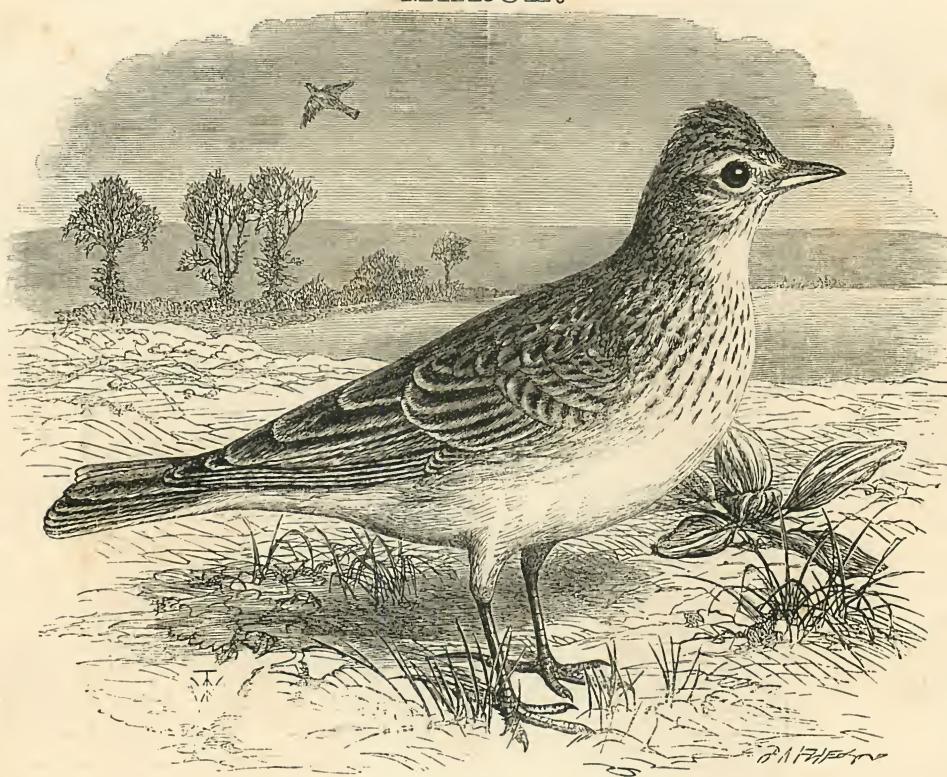
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3	W	W. G. Macready born, 1793	6 44	12 11	5 41	5 10	11 49				25																62		
4	Th	Lord Somers born, 1652	6 42	11 58	5 43	5 48	Aftern.				26																63		
5	F	Death of Laplace, 1827	6 40	11 45	5 45	6 15	2 30				27																64		
6	S	Artemus Ward (Charles Brown) died, 1867	6 38	11 31	5 46	6 35	3 57				28																65		
7	S	4TH SUNDAY IN LENT	6 36	11 16	5 48	6 50	5 24				○																66		
8	M	Duke of Bridgewater died, 1803	6 34	11 2	5 50	7 3	6 50				1																67		
9	Iu	Fire Insurance due	6 31	10 47	5 51	7 15	8 18				2																68		
10	W	Prince of Wales married, 1863	6 28	10 31	5 53	7 29	9 49				3																69		
11	Ih	Income Tax imposed 1812	6 26	10 16	5 55	7 44	11 20				4																70		
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20	S	Oxford Lent Term ends	6 5	7 41	6 11	4 36	5 52				13																79		
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24	W	Queen Elizabeth died, 1603	5 57	6 28	6 17	9 27	6 35				17																83		
25	Ih	<i>Annunciation. Lady Day</i>	5 54	6 9	6 18	10 40	6 48				18																84		
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29	M	John Keble died, 1866 (Bank Holiday)	5 45	4 55	6 26	2 12	8 33				22																88		
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THE GRAND DUCHESS MARIA ALEXANDROVNA OF RUSSIA.
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THE GUERRILLERO: A STORY OF THE CARLIST WAR.

It is not the Carlist War of 1874, but that which raged in Spain from 1833 to 1839. The irregular bands, formed and led by volunteer captains, practised the sort of desultory warfare known as *guerrilla*. The first of our coloured pictures is that of a *guerrillero*. Let the reader of this story now look well at him. He is a young peasant of sturdy and active frame, dressed in black velvet jacket and breeches; a broad "faja" or sash of scarlet cloth, triply folded to serve as pocket and cartridge-belt; a slouched cap of thick felt, the red cap, or "boina," which is the badge of his partisan service; long gaiters of leather, and sandals made of the "esparto" grass or rush, with soles of hemp. A large red woolen scarf, the "manta," with an ornamental fringe of tassels, may be used for protection from rain or cold wind, or to cover him when sleeping in the open air at night. It is now loosely thrown over his shoulder. His hand grasps a musket or rifle, with his thumb upon its cock, ready for instant use. Such is the *guerrillero*, or petty warrior, here posted as sentinel of a mountain pass.

This hero's name was Pedro Becerro, of Altoviejo. His life had not been confined to his native village. Two years before this he had been hired as groom, or horse-boy, to attend a travelling English gentleman going to the eastern coast. The journey of Captain Barclay was rather hurried, as he was eager to meet his daughter, who had been passing the winter, with her uncle and aunt, in the mild climate of that Mediterranean shore. After a brief visit to Alicant, where Mr. James Barclay resided in business as a merchant, the Captain took Miss Anna with him by sea to Gibraltar, on their return to England. He discharged Pedro Becerro with a handsome gratuity above the stipulated wages of three weeks' service. Pedro soon wasted his money in the unwonted pleasures of a town. He next became serving-man to a Spanish nobleman going up to Madrid; but, after many months, felt a natural wish to revisit the home of his youth, and to see a maiden he knew there, one Teresita Manares. He set out on his way through the northern provinces. At a "venta," or roadside inn, he met and drank with a boastful corporal in the Christino service. Wine, flattery, and false promises beguiled him to enlist.

He had been standing sentry here, quite alone, nearly three hours, or pacing up and down the length of a hundred yards allotted for his beat. At the end of this walk, chancing to pause a minute, his ear caught the faint sound of a voice, uttering what seemed a cry for help, from the stony bottom of a gorge sixty or seventy feet below. Clambering a little down, beyond the protruding crags, he saw a man prostrate among the blocks of stone that filled the dry bed of a mountain torrent. Becerro called to the man, who in reply waved his arms with a gesture as of helpless distress, and implored him, "por amor de Dios, bueno amigo mio," to come down and relieve him. The kind fellow, though bound not to leave his post, did not hesitate. He quickly descended, and there found a young man in the uniform of a Carlist officer, who was badly hurt by a fall, and had his leg wedged in a crevice of the rocks. "Ay de mi, que dolor y traspaso!" groaned the stranger; "what pain, what agony I suffer! Vengo molido, hecho pedazos; I am knocked all to pieces!" Becerro tenderly released his limb from captivity and supported the tottering steps of his other foot, which was unhurt, till he could recline on a grassy bank at the roadside. "Now, my good, kind friend, whoever and whatever you are," said the Carlist, "you must take this from me"—and he thrust into Pedro's hand two gold doubloons—"but you must do one thing more for me. A mile down the road you will find my servant, with two horses in waiting; run down there, send him up quickly to fetch me away. I shall be safe and well cared for at Aranza, three hours' ride from here."

Becerro was suddenly reminded by this simple request that he ought not to quit the place where his military duty had stationed him. "I am on guard, Senor Caballero," he answered with regret, and offered to return the money. "I may not go farther. But my comrade is to relieve me here at sunset, and then—ah! I had forgotten, I must report this to our sergeant when I go back to quarters. They will send for you. I am sure that Usted (Vuestra Merced) will be taken good care of by our officers; they will see it is a gentleman in distress."

"Your officers, my good fellow?" said the other, smiling. "Don't you see, Caramba, that they would make me their prisoner? I have the honour to be a soldier of his Majesty Don Carlos. My duty is to return where I can do his Majesty's

business. Why, a brave *majo* like you should be one of us, helping to fight for our grand old Spain, for our gallant King and Holy Church! But have I not seen you before—at Alicant, with a Caballero Inglese, el Senor Barclay?"

It was even so. The stranger found in this awkward plight was Lieutenant Hernando de Seguro, a young man of good family in Valencia, who was acquainted with the Barclays of Alicant. He had met Captain and Miss Barclay at their house, and remembered the face of the Captain's servant, Pedro. This was not all. During the six months of Anna Barclay's stay with her aunt and uncle, Hernando was accustomed to come and read "Don Quixote" and the Spanish poets, several evenings a week, to the family circle of his English friends. He readily passed from this to assisting the young lady in her studies and exercises in the noble language of his country. We know not if her relatives saw any signs of a growing attachment between these young persons.

In the lively talk which now arose between Pedro Becerro and Lieutenant Seguro upon their reminiscences of the amiable English family, Pedro's scruples of military duty were insensibly softened. This was perceived by Seguro, who did not lose the advantage it gave him. The sentinel, after a sip of brandy from the Carlist officer's flask, agreed to run and send up the Lieutenant's man and horses, before any other soldiers of the Christino army should appear.

Pedro Becerro started down the hill upon this errand, leaving Lieutenant Seguro, with a cigarito between his lips, trying to guess how many days he would be disabled from active service by the injury to his right knee and ankle. The horses and the attendant with them were soon met, and were ordered to go up and convey their master to Aranza.

But it was fated that Pedro Becerro should never return to his ordinary duty in the fourth company, second battalion, of the Villareale Caçadores. He had not got half way back when he was stopped by a martial challenge, followed by a bullet whizzing across the road. A scouting party of the Carlists instantly surrounded him. He could make no resistance, having left his rifle hidden in a bush, where his friend Don Hernando was sitting. Becerro was conducted to the Carlist headquarters, and was there detained. Before many days the Carlists won a brilliant victory. The unlucky soldier of the baby Queen Christina was now ripe for conversion. He enlisted in the Carlist army.

We know how the British Legion was formed, under Sir De Lacy Evans, to aid the partisans of constitutional freedom in Spain. One of the half-pay Peninsular officers who joined this force was Captain Barclay. But his was to be an unlucky experience of the Carlist war. In the action of March 16, 1837, at Hernani, Sir De Lacy Evans attempted to storm the Carlist lines on the hill of Santa Barbara, commanding the passage of the river Urumea. He relied on the support of the Royal Marines and of Sarsfield's Spanish troops. They did not come up. The Carlists sallied forth, and inflicted upon Sir De Lacy a severe defeat. One English officer, Captain Barclay, was left on the ground badly wounded.

An hour after this disastrous skirmish he recovered from a faintness caused by loss of blood. He was lying in the rank grass of the river's bank. A Carlist soldier came down the hill, saw, and pitied his condition. It was Pedro Becerro. He did not at first recognise his former master. But natural feelings of humanity and the charity of a good Christian inclined him, as once before, to help a suffering fellow-creature. He raised the head of his fallen enemy, and pillow'd it with a bundle of grass, then brought him water to drink and to lave his fevered face. Upon a nearer sight of this face he joyfully discovered the Caballero Inglese, Captain Barclay, and presently made himself known to the Captain.

A party of new-comers rudely interrupted their talk. These were half a dozen ruffians of the Carlist camp, intent on plunder of the dead and wounded. They seized upon the wounded Englishman, despite the angry remonstrances of Becerro. Captain Barclay's gold watch and purse, and a miniature portrait of Anna's deceased mother, set in jewels, were seized by the lawless blackguards. After satisfying their greed they proposed to indulge their ferocious temper, and to save the trouble of carrying him within the lines, by stabbing him where he lay. The brave Pedro was roused by this emergency. With his musket levelled at the foremost of the party, he declared that he would shoot any one who dared hurt the English Caballero. He would himself be killed by them, were it ten times over, before they should kill his friend. A shot was fired at Pedro by one; another rushed at him



with a bayonet; and his life would soon have been ended but for the timely arrival of a Carlist officer. This was a Major of the regiment to which those murderers belonged. At his unlooked for presence and stern rebuke, accompanied by a threat of severe punishment, they skulked back to quarters, leaving him with Becerro and Captain Barclay. The latter, suffering and weak as he lay, was yet able to see and know his second deliverer.

"Is it possible? Dear Don Hernando, can it be you? Don't you remember me at Alicant—Captain Barclay from England—visiting my brother there—reading your Cervantes with my daughter—why, are you along with those Carlist fellows? Nearly finished me they had this time—if it hadn't been for this good fellow—you may remember my man Pedro, who came with my horses? I'm your prisoner of war now, I suppose, Major de Seguro. But you'll not let me lie here to be butchered?"

"Ave Maria purissima!" exclaimed the good-hearted Pedro. "Gallant Caballero, Senor Don Hernando de Seguro! I have not seen Usted (your honour) since that day you fell over the rocks. I salute you, Major of our army! Long live his Majesty Don Carlos! Gracias a todos los Angeles! What joy to see Usted here, at this blessed moment, to save us both alive, the noble Captain Inglese and poor Pedro, from those cursed thieves!"

"I am very happy to have come in time to serve my friends," the Major replied with hearty goodwill. He then beckoned to an orderly, and sent for a file of soldiers with a litter, to carry the wounded Englishman to a farmhouse near. A surgeon was fetched; and during the next few weeks, by the Major's friendly attentions, with the use of his authority and influence, Captain Barclay was very well cared for. His wound began to heal.

In their conversations at this time, Hernando de Seguro once ventured, in a tone of respectful tenderness, to inquire for Miss Anna. He was told that she was now living at Bath, with her uncle and aunt, Mr. James Barclay having retired from his commercial business at Alicant, and returned to England with a competent income. An exchange of prisoners was obtained by the influence of Major de Seguro. Captain Barclay was now enabled to go on board H.M.S. Falcon, of the blockading squadron, for the benefit of the sea air to his broken health.

Pedro Becerro did not much longer remain in the Carlist military ranks. The corps in which he served met with some losses and disgraces, which occasioned its disbandment. Many of the men, tired of the hardships of campaigning, refused to join another regiment. Becerro was one of these; he chose rather to become a domestic servant, as before. He was now hired by another English gentleman, an Oporto wine-merchant, who went there by sea from St. Sebastian.

The young Spaniard, as might be expected, did not always get on very well with his Portuguese fellow-servants, and others of that nation in his own class. There was, and perhaps still is, a deal of jealousy and mutual enmity between the lower orders of the two adjacent kingdoms. But in the city of Oporto, as before in the cities of Spain, there were strong attractions for Pedro Becerro in the variety of popular entertainments. A grand bull-fight was announced to take place in the Praça on a festival day. Its programme excited his curiosity; but he was told that the rules and practice of public bull-fights, as conducted in Portugal, were not like those sanguinary displays common in the towns of his own country.

"The bull is not killed at all," explained his informant. "They stick the farpa, the little dart, into his fleshy neck, as often as they can. It only hurts him, and puts him into a rage. He goes at man and horse, and tosses or gores them if he can, but his horns are sheathed in wadded leather. But they use no spear or sword to give the beast a mortal wound. The best fun is the *pega*, when several men get hold of the bull's tail and legs. They push and heave and throw him down, while one lies between his horns and hangs on there, to weigh down his head. You must go to the Praça and see it, Pedro the Espanol! It is a better game than your butchery Spanish trick, making a slaughterhouse of the grand show."

Pedro, however, naturally thought the "Cosas de Espana" superior to all other things in the world. He retorted that, in his opinion, the Portuguese mode of bull-fighting was only fit for milk-sops and poltroons.

We may observe that the performers in a Portuguese bull-

ring are not hired gladiators, as in Spain. They are all noble amateurs, the Count of This, the Marquis of That, and other gentlemen of high rank. The exhibition commonly takes place under the combined patronage of the Court, the Church, and the aristocracy. Its profits are given to some hospital, orphan asylum, or religious mission.

The appointed day brought a large assembly of all classes, with Pedro Becerro and his Oporto comrade, to behold this curious spectacle of Portuguese diversions. They were closely wedged together in the dense crowd surrounding the arena. The preliminary ceremonies had begun. The "netto," or herald of the lists, had entered with blindfold eyes, and had done homage to the presiding grande. The "azemola," or sumpter mule, gaily caparisoned, had come in laden with bundles of small darts having little flags of coloured paper affixed to their shafts. A whisper now passed round, that the famous amateur "torero," Senor Dom Jorge de Margalho, whose appearance had been eagerly desired by the Oporto "faucy," was detained at home by sickness. His place would be supplied by a stranger, whose name was not yet publicly announced. It was a Spanish caballero, who had offered his services to the managing committee at the eleventh hour.

The formal entry of this leading performer was arranged for his presentation, with due solemnity, to the Duke of Madeira, who occupied a gilt chair of state in the Royal balcony. It was expected with pleasing impatience. A flourish of trumpets was heard, a curtain of purple silk was lifted, and the hero of the Praça for that day pranced in upon a beautiful steed of pure Arab race. Our honest friend Pedro Becerro, ex-guerrillero of both the Christina and Carlist armies in Spain, could again scarcely believe his own eyes. For here, in Oporto, did he now, or did he not, see Don Hernando de Seguro, the Caballero of Valencia, the Carlist Major and aide-de-camp to General Cabrera, in the guise of a complete Torero? The name proclaimed, though Spanish, was a fictitious one.

The Torero now dismounted and stood before the Duke. His costume was a short jacket and breeches of black velvet, fantastically shaped, very richly embroidered, and turned up with orange facings; a vest also decorated with lace, and a shirt of fine cambric; long stockings of white silk and large silver shoe-buckles. His thick black hair was tied behind with a bow of blue ribbon. The silk cloak upon his left arm was edged with a band of gold.

The Duke of Madeira was on the point of making the signal of authority for the commencement of the sports. But a mysterious interruption now occurred to delay the regular course of proceeding. The chief magistrate of the city, with the chief manager of the entertainment, came up to his Excellency's seat. They began a very earnest conference, in which they were soon joined by the Chief Director of Police. Very significant glances, at some moments of the conversation, were cast upon the torero who stood below. Not a word, however, could be overheard by the wondering listeners.

An unseen hand from one of the upper balconies threw into the bull-ring a folded scrap of paper, which the torero picked up. He read a few words, and his compressed lips showed a powerful resolve. But what he instantly did was most unexpected. With a silent bow of polite reverence to the Duke, who chanced not to be looking, he coolly turned round, sprang upon his horse, and rode out of the amphitheatre before anyone could think of stopping him.

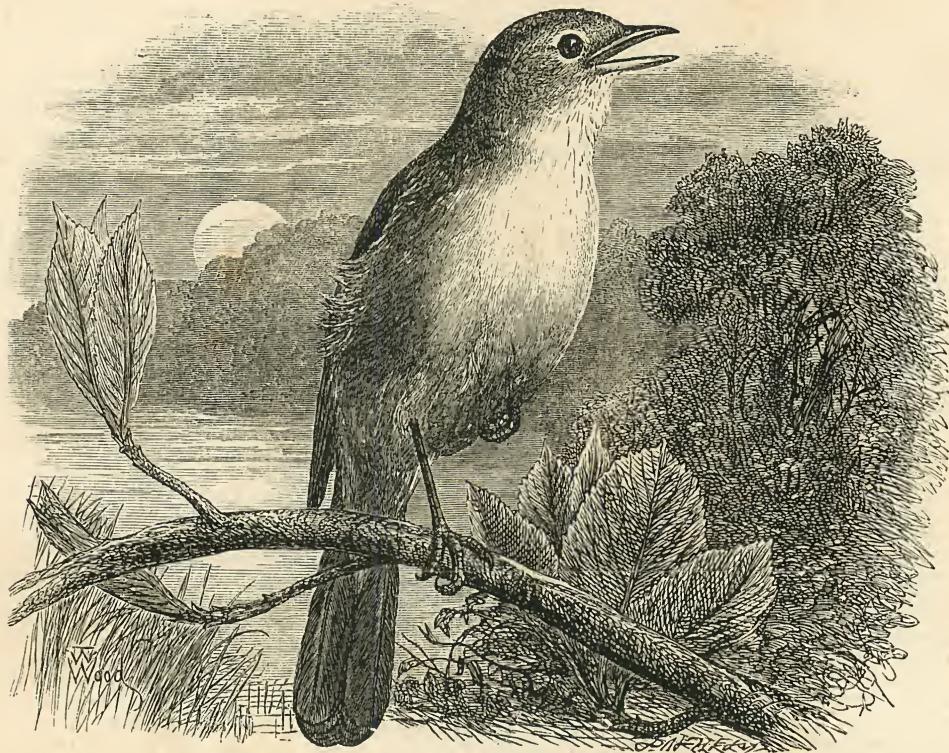
"Hold! Stop that man!" cried the Police Director, but an instant too late. "A spy!" "A traitor!" "A Spanish Carlist!" were the exclamations of others near the Duke. The whole assembly was in an uproar, and the barrier of the ring was overleaped by hundreds. They ran out into the streets, following the hot pursuit, in which armed police constables and soldiers of the guard joined all the servants of the Praça.

Among the multitude who rushed out, some hastily mounted to overtake the flying horseman, others running wildly on foot up and down the streets, was Pedro Becerro. He soon lost his way in that foreign city. He wandered about in bewilderment till he found himself on the quays of the port. In a retired alley, which opened upon the quay, was a sort of wooden hut, cabin, or booth, which Becerro remembered having seen and visited before. It was occupied by Domingo Salles, a shifty fisherman, or fish-dealer. This man sometimes hawked a basket-full of what his partner had caught; but he sometimes went out with his boat and nets.

Pedro was familiar with the old fisherman. They began

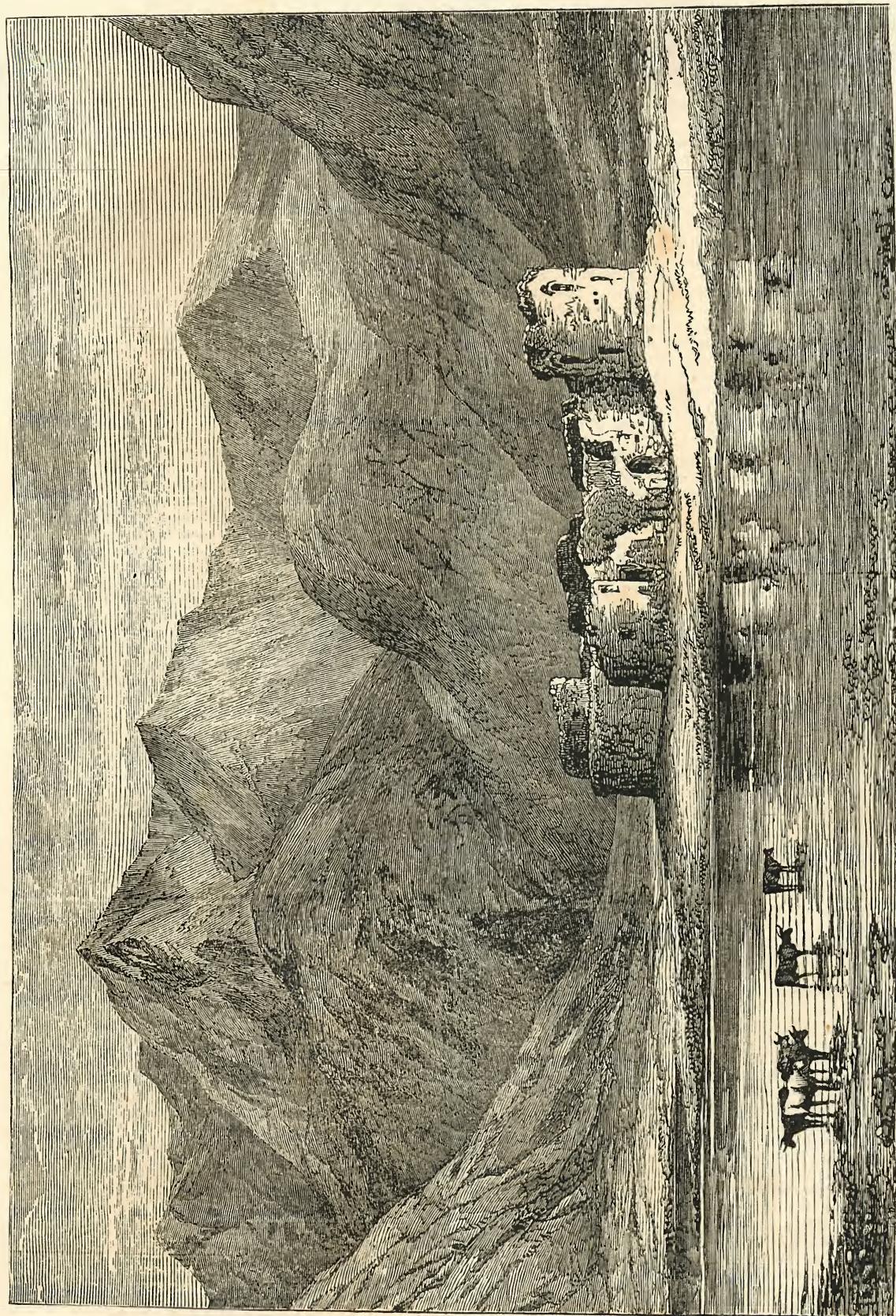
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APRIL.



NIGHTINGALE.

D. OF M.	D. OF W.	ANNIVERSARIES, FESTIVALS, OCCURRENCES, ETC.	SUN.			MOON.			DURATION OF MOONLIGHT.												HIGH WATER AT				Day of Year.		
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1 Th		Expedition to the North Pole, 1818	5 38	4 1	6 31	4 15	11 59						25														91
2 F		Cambridge Easter Term begins	5 36	3 43	6 33	4 36	Aftern.						26														92
3 S		<i>Richard, Bishop</i>	5 34	3 25	6 35	4 54	2 49						27														93
4 S		LOW SUNDAY	5 32	3 7	6 37	5 9	4 18						28														94
5 M		Princess Victoria (of Hesse) born, 1863	5 29	2 49	6 38	5 22	5 47						29														95
6 Tu		<i>Old Lady Day</i>	5 27	2 32	6 40	5 35	7 19						○														96
7 W		Prince Leopold born, 1853	5 24	2 15	6 41	5 48	8 52						1														97
8 Th		Lord Chatham died, 1778	5 22	1 57	6 43	6 6	10 26						2														98
9 F		Lord Bacon died, 1626	5 20	1 41	6 44	6 32	11 57						3														99
10 S		Battle of Toulouse, 1814	5 18	1 24	6 45	7 7	Morn.						4														100
11 S		2ND SUNDAY AFT. EASTER	5 15	1 8	6 46	8 0	1 16						5														101
12 M		Prince Frederick of Prussia born, 1855	5 13	0 52	6 48	9 8	2 16						●														102
13 Tu		Handel died, 1759	5 11	0 36	6 50	10 26	2 59						7														103
14 W		Princess Beatrice born, 1857	5 9	0 21	6 52	11 49	3 28						8														104
15 Th		Law Easter Term begins	5 7	0 5	6 53	Aftern.	3 48						9														105
16 F		Victory of Culloden, 1746	5 5	before Noon.	6 55	2 24	4 1						10														106
17 S		Napoleon III. visited England, 1855	5 2	0 24	6 57	3 37	4 14						11														107
18 S		3RD SUNDAY AFT. EASTER	5 0	0 38	6 59	4 50	4 25						12														108
19 M		<i>St. Alphage</i>	4 58	0 52	7 0	6 1	4 35						13														109
20 Tu		Napoleon III. born, 1808	4 56	1 5	7 2	7 12	4 45						●														110
21 W		Bishop Heber born, 1783	4 55	1 18	7 4	8 26	4 56						15														111
22 Th		Length of night, 9h. 47m.	4 53	1 30	7 6	9 39	5 11						16														112
23 F		<i>St. George</i>	4 51	1 42	7 8	10 52	5 28						17														113
24 S		Brazil discovered, 1500	4 49	1 54	7 10	11 59	5 54						18														114
25 S		4TH SUND. AFTER EASTER	4 47	2 5	7 11	Morn.	6 31						19														115
26 M		New Orleans taken, 1862	4 45	2 15	7 13	0 58	7 20						20														116
27 Tu		French Army in Italy, 1859	4 43	2 25	7 14	1 41	8 26						21														117
28 W		Mutiny of the Bounty, 1789	4 41	2 35	7 16	2 18	9 39						●														118
29 Th		Alexander II. born, 1818	4 39	2 44	7 17	2 41	10 59						23														119
30 F		London University founded, 1827	4 37	2 52	7 19	3 0	Aftern.						24														120



RUINS OF OLD INVERLOCHY CASTLE.—FROM "THE ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS."

to talk. Pedro told him of the extraordinary scene of confusion he had witnessed in the Praça; but did not, of course, tell him that he knew the fugitive Torero. After loitering here a quarter of an hour, Domingo Salles closed the door of his cabin and went to his boat at the quay steps. There Becerro accompanied him, in a listless mood, for mere companionship.

It was now growing dusk in the evening. This part of the quay seemed almost deserted. A person wrapped in a long Spanish cloak, which concealed his under-dress, paced slowly along the margin of the quay. This man, as he passed close to Becerro, jostled his shoulder. Uncertain whether this was done awkwardly or intentionally, the young Spaniard looked up in anger. But his eye met that of the muffled walker, who at that moment partly uncovered his face. It was, once again, his friend Don Hernando! It was the hunted fugitive of that day's hue and cry all over the city! Burning with anxiety and curiosity, Pedro kept silence as the man in the cloak stalked silently on. The next minute Pedro made an excuse to leave the fisherman. He quietly followed the other, turned a corner after him, and then, gaining his side, entered into a stealthy and hurried talk.

Hernando briefly told him all. He had crossed the frontier from Spain on business connected with the contraband supply of arms to the Carlists. But he had since then been persuaded by some private friends to withdraw from a hopeless cause. He had sent a letter to resign his commission in the Carlist army. He had thought himself free to go to England or France, though it would not be safe for him to return to his native province in Spain. It had never occurred to him that he was liable to arrest in Portugal under the provisions of the Quadruple Alliance. His sojourn in Oporto had been heretofore unmolested. He had not feared, therefore, to indulge a personal whim by offering to appear in the bull-fight, though under an assumed name. But now, in consequence, as he believed, of false and malignant accusations from private enemies in Spain, he had been denounced to the Portuguese Government as a spy. If he were seized now, and were sent into Spain as a prisoner, his life would there be in some danger on account of previous transactions. Hence came his desperate flight from the public amphitheatre.

His immediate endeavour, at first, was to gallop out of the city, even such a figure as he was, in the gaudy dress of the Torero. But a minute's thought, despite of the pursuing mob, showed him that this was absurd and hopeless. While still a hundred yards before them, and concealed for a moment by an angle of the street, he leaped from his horse's back over a garden wall. He dived into a house, and there hid himself a few minutes till he heard the chase go by. No inmates of the house perceived his entry. An open wardrobe contained, with other clothing, the large cloak he had borrowed, or rather stolen, to cover what remained of his fantastic theatrical attire. He had left the hiding-place in the afternoon, and found his way to the quay-side, hoping that some boatman would carry him to a foreign vessel in the harbour.

"It is a boatman you want? I have got one for you, Don Hernando!" said Pedro with great enthusiasm. "I know that old fisherman you saw just now. I'm sure he will not suspect me. I shall only tell him that you are a friend of my master, the English merchant, Señor Robinson, and that you must go on board an English ship."

"There is an English war-sloop, they say, now lying in the roads outside," replied Don Hernando. "If I can but reach her deck, my life and liberty will be safe. The English have fought against my King; I have faced their Legion and their Sir Evans in the field of battle. But they are a brave people, they will never betray a hunted refugee to the death."

Pedro conducted him at once to the boat, which Domingo was about to unloose. A few words, as Pedro had expected, were sufficient to make him take both of them as passengers to the British vessel. With feelings of intense relief, of inexpressible joy and gratitude, during the next hour, but in profound silence, and in the gathering darkness of evening, Hernando de Seguro felt himself borne away from the city towards the open sea. He was presently, with Pedro Becerro, taken on board the sloop of war. She was no other than H.M.S. Falcon. And in her, to his infinite gratification, he again met Captain Barclay, still an invalid, but very much better for the cruise. Is it needful to say how gladly and kindly Hernando was received?

Is it needful to finish the story? Hernando accompanied Captain Barclay to England. He soon inherited, despite his

political proscription, a modest fortune invested in English securities. He married Anna Barclay, to whom also her uncle James bequeathed his property. None of them ever cared again to live in Spain. As for Pedro, the brave guerrillero, he got a round sum of money from the grateful friends whom he had served. He went home to Altoviejo and became the husband of Teresita. He is a thriving farmer, and a man of peace.

FEEDING THE BIRDS.

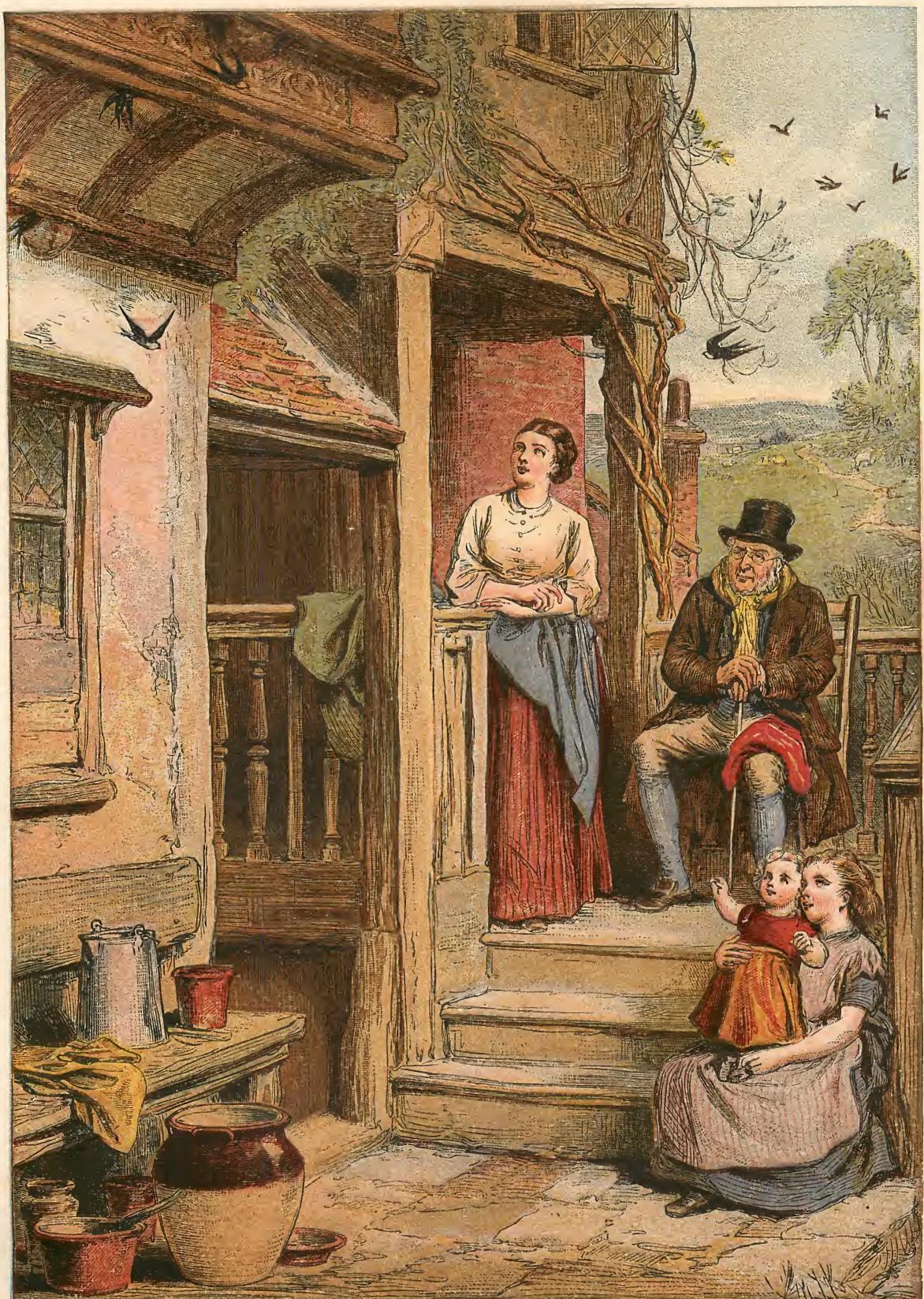
Little Willy, nearly seven,
Sister Mary, not yet nine,
Standing at the open window,
Call the Birds to come and dine.
White the snow in field and garden,
Like the sheets in Willy's bed ;
Yet the sun above is shining ;
And the holly-fruit is red ;
And the leaves of Winter's holly
Glisten with as glad a green
As the verdure of the Summer
In the years a child has seen ;
And although, perhaps, to-morrow
Frost will pinch his hands and feet,
Or the storm, that beats his dwelling,
Pelt the window-glass with sleet,
While the trees, that roar with terror,
Toss their branches in alarm,
Willy does not fear the winter :
God, he knows, will do no harm ;
And he knows, by God in wisdom
Earth and sky are ordered so ;
Warmth and cold of changing weather,
Sun to shine, and wind to blow ;
Rain to fill with kindly moisture
Fertile furrows of the field ;
Frost and snow its clods to soften,
That the soil its richness yield ;
Light of days, to work or play in,
Dark of nights, for deep repose ;
Changing scenes for health to live in,
Good alike, as Willy knows ;
Good for men and good for cattle,
And for birds, that fly the air,
And for tiny creeping insects,
Equally the Maker's care ;
So he looks, and Sister Mary,
On the Birds with heart of love ;
Funny little feathered people,
Some below, and some above ;
Some that scrape the pathway gravel,
Some that perch on bough or twig ;
Little fellows, pertly strutting
As in fancy they were big ;
Strutting, flying, hopping, chirping,
Gaping for the crumbs he gives,
Come, you Birds of Willy's garden,
Willy loves whatever lives ;
He has learnt the wisest lesson
Child or Man shall ever win ;
"All who joy would gain must share it
Happiness is born a Twin."

A LANDING PARTY.

They landed—I made fast our boat—
Sweet Rose and Cousin Will.
She tied her scarf about his throat
To save him from a chill.
He kissed her hand that was so kind ;
The swan alone was near
To hear that couple speak their mind,
How each to each was dear !

RETURNING SWALLOWS.

They fled our winter clime
To sunny lands of Spain
They flew to us again
Ere bloomed our summer time.
Then in his cottage home
The aged Briton smiled,
And laughed his daughter's child
To see the swallows come.



THE ILLUSTRATED LONDON ALMANACK FOR 1875.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

Founded, 1694. Capital, £14,553,000.

THREADNEEDLE-STREET, CITY. | BURLINGTON-GARDENS, W.
Governor, B. B. Greene. Deputy Governor, H. H. Gibbs.

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Henry W. Blake	C. H. Goschen	Charles F. Huth	James Morris
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H. R. Grenfell	Thos. N. Hunt	A. Matheson	C. Weguelin.

Chief Accountant, John Francis.
Secretary, H. Chubb.

Chief Cashier, Frank May.
Solicitors, Messrs. Freshfield.

TRANSFER DAYS AT THE BANK.

All Stocks on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays. Private Transfers may be effected at other times, providing the books are not closed, by paying 2s. *sd* for each Transfer. Tickets for preparing the Transfer of Stock must be given in at the Bank of England before one o'clock. Expenses of Transfer in Bank Stock for £25 and under, 9s.; above that sum, 12s.; India Stock, £1 10s.

Powers of attorney for the sale or transfer of Stock are to be left at the Bank, &c., for examination, one day before they can be acted upon; if for receiving dividends, they may be presented at the time the first is payable. Probates of Wills, Letters of Administration, and other proofs of decease must be left at the Bank, &c., for registration, for two or three days.

If Life Annuities be transferred between Jan. 5 and April 4, or between July 5 and Oct. 4, dividends are payable on Jan. 5 and July 5. If transferred between April 5 and July 4, or between Oct. 5 and Jan. 4, dividends are payable on April 5 and Oct. 5. Transferred at the National Debt Office, Old Jewry.

The dividends are paid to the public three days after the dates named; if a Sunday intervene, four days after. The hours for buying and selling are 10 to 1; for transferring, 11 to half-past 2; for accepting, 9 to 3; for payment of dividends, 9 to 3. Transfer-books are closed at 1 p.m. on Saturdays.

Dividend Warrants issued as follows:—1. To the fundholder personally at the Bank of England. 2. Under Power of Attorney, free of stamp duty or any other charge. 3. By post within the United Kingdom.

Fundholders who desire to have their Dividend Warrants sent by post must fill up a form, obtainable at the Bank of England or its branches, and at all money-order offices. For joint accounts, all the parties in whose names the fund stands must sign in favour of the one to whom the warrant is to be sent. Post warrants will be crossed "and Co.," and can be cashed at any money-order office, or paid away as ordinary bankers' cheques. Notice should be given to the Bank of the non-reception of any warrant which has been directed to be sent by post.

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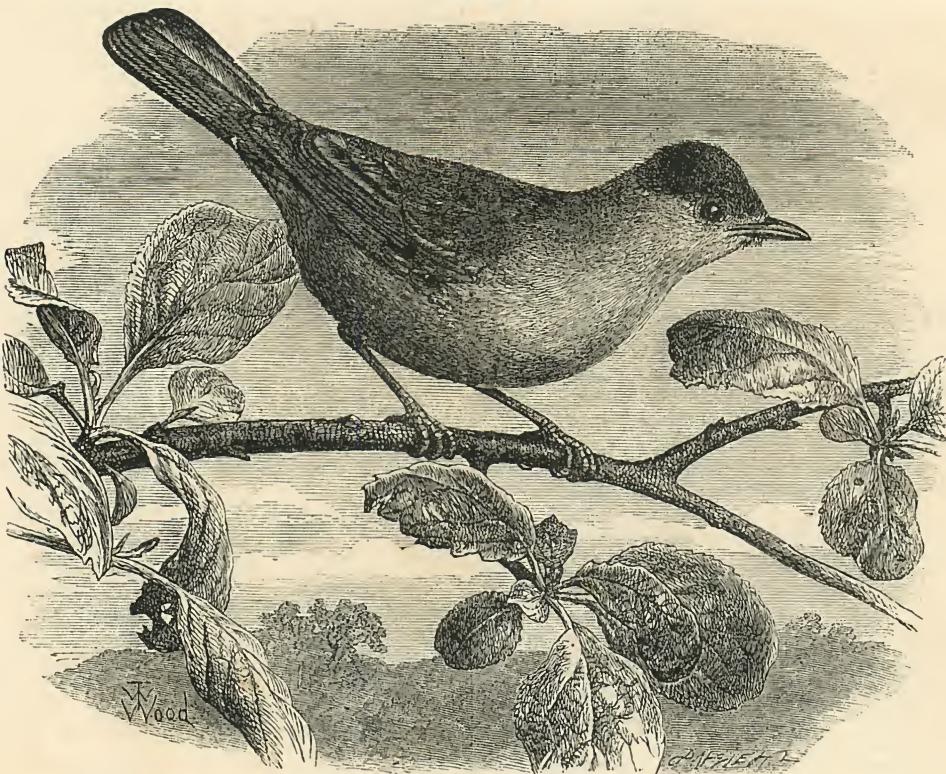
Denomination.	Half-Yearly Dividend.	Period of Redemption.
Consolidated Three per Cent Annuities	January 5 July 5 ...	Any time after passing of Act, agreeably to the regulation therein.
Reduced Three per Cent Annuities	April 5 ... October 5 ...	January 5 ... July 5 ...
New Five per Cent Annuities	January 5 ... July 5 ...	Any time after Jan. 5, 1873.
New Three per Cent Annuities	April 5 ... October 5 ...	Any time after Oct. 10, 1874.
New Three-and-a-Half per Cent Annuities	January 5 ... July 5 ...	Any time after Jan. 5, 1894.
Two-and-a-Half per Cent Annuities	January 5 ... July 5 ...	Any time after Jan. 5, 1894.

LONDON AND WESTMINSTER BANKERS.

Addison and Co., 11, Waterloo-place, Pall-mall.	Bank of Queensland, 26, Old Broad-street.
Agra Bank, 33, Nicholas-lane.	Bank of Roumania, 30, Austin-friars.
Alexanders, Cunliffes, and Co., 30, Lombard-street.	Bank of Scotland, 48, Lothbury.
Alliance Bank, Bartholomew-lane, and 255, High-street, Borough.	Bank of South Australia, 54, Old Broad-street.
Anglo-Austrian Bank, 31, and 32, Lombard-street.	Bank of Victoria, 3, Threadneedle-street.
Anglo-Egyptian Bank, 27, Clement's-lane.	Barber, and Co., 133, Leadenhall-street.
Anglo-Foreign Banking Co., 29, Lombard-street.	Barclay, Bevan, and Co., 54, Lombard-street.
Anglo-Hungarian Bank, 46, Lombard-street.	Barnett, Hoare, and Co., 60 and 62, Lombard-street.
Anglo-Italian Bank, 16, Leadenhall-street.	Biggerstaff, W. and J., 63, West Smithfield, & Metropolitan Cattle Market, Islington.
Australian Joint-Stock Bank, 18, King William-street.	Bosanquet, and Co., 73, Lombard-street.
Bank of Australasia, 4, Threadneedle-street.	Business and Foreign Exchange and Investment Bank, 30, Throgmorton-street.
Bank of British Columbia, 5, East India-avenue.	Brooks and Co., 81, Lombard-street.
Bank of British North America, 124, Bishopsgate-street Within.	Brown, Jenson, and Co., 82, Abchurch-lane.
Bank of Egypt, 26, Old Broad-street.	Brown, John, and Co., 90, Cannon-street.
Bank of England, Threadneedle-street, and Burlington-gardens.	Central of London Bank, 52, Cornhill; 116, High-street, White-chapel; 26, Tooley-street, Borough, and 31, High-street, Shoreditch.
Bank of Montreal, 27, Lombard-street.	Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China, Hatton-court, Threadneedle-street.
Bank of New South Wales, 64, Old Broad-street.	Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London, and China, 65, Old Broad-street.
Bank of New Zealand, 50, Old Broad-street.	
Bank of Otago, 5, Adam's-court, Old Broad-street.	

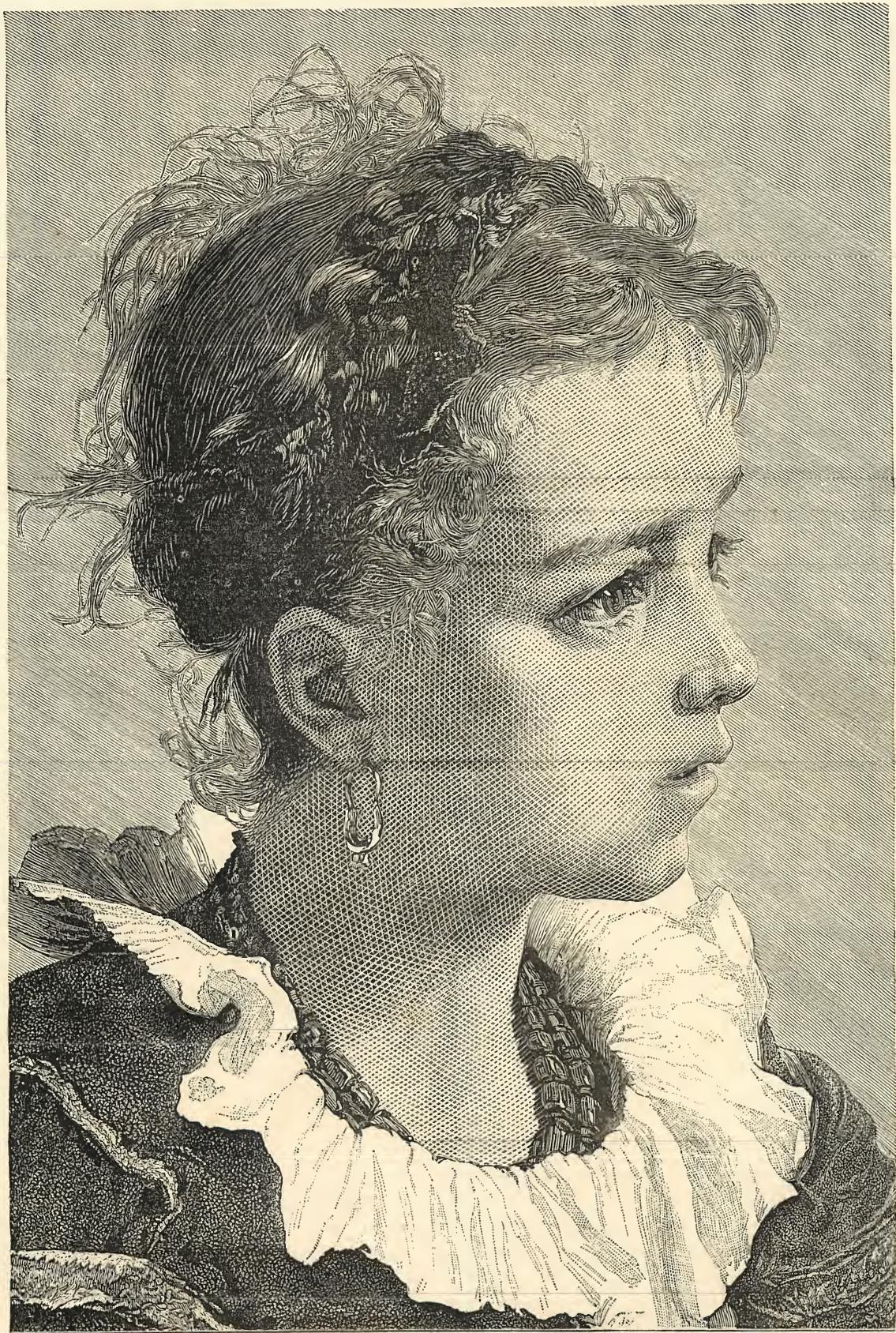
Child and Co., 1, Fleet-st., Temple-bar, City and County Bank, 33, Abchurch-lane.	Manor-terrace, Kilburn; Westown-hill, Norwood; Forest-hill; Ealing; Thurlow-place, Lower Norwood; 98, High-street, Peckham; High-street, Putney; Bank Buildings, Wandsworth; Seven Sisters-road, Upper Holloway.
City Bank, 5, Threadneedle-street; 34, Old Bond-street; 25, Ludgate-hill; and 153, Tottenham-court-road.	London and Westminster Bank, 41, Lothbury; 1, St. James's-square; 214, High Holborn; 6, High-street, Borough; 130, High-street, Whitechapel; 4, Stratford-place, Oxford-street; 217, Strand; and 91, Westminster Bridge-road.
Coeks, Biddulph, and Co., 43, Charing-cross.	London and Yorkshire Bank, 59, New Broad-street.
Colonial Bank, 13, Bishopsgate-street Within.	London Banking Association, 4, Bank Buildings, Lothbury.
Colonial Bank of Australasia, 4, Royal Exchange-buildings.	London Bank of Mexico and South America, 144, Leadenhall-street.
Commercial Banking Co. of Sydney, 39, Lombard-street.	London Chartered Bank of Australia, 88, Cannon-street.
Commercial Bank of India, 64, Moor-gate-street.	London Joint-Stock Bank, 5, Princes-street, Bank; 69, Pall-mall; 124, Chancery-lane; 28, High-street, Borough; Charterhouse-street; 9, Craven-road; Metropolitan Cattle Markets, Islington and Deptford.
Coutts and Co., 59, Strand.	Martin and Co., 88, Lombard-street.
Cuniffe, Roger, Sons, and Co., 6, Princes-street, City.	Mercantile Bank of England, 4, Royal Exchange-buildings, E.C.
Delhi and London Bank, 76, King William-street, City.	Mercantile Bank of Sidney, 30, Great St. Helen's.
Dimsdale, Fowler, and Barnard, 50, Cornhill.	Mercantile Banking Co. of London, 112, Cannon-street.
Dormond, 49, Charing-cross.	Metropolitan Bank, 75, Cornhill, and Woolwich.
East India Bank, 12, Leadenhall-street.	Midland Banking Company, 38, New Broad-street.
English and American Bank, 40, Threadneedle-street.	Morton, Rose, and Co., Bartholomew House, Bank.
English Bank of Rio de Janeiro, 13, St. Helen's-place, Bishopsgate-street.	National Bank, 13, Old Broad-street; 68, Bishop's-road, Bayswater; 9, Charing-cross; 189, High-street, Camden Town; 22, Old Cavendish-street; 21, Grosvenor-gardens, Pimlico; 282, Pentonville-road; and 158, High-street, Notting-hill.
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered Bank, 73, Cornhill.	National Bank of Australasia, 47, Cornhill.
Fuller, Banbury, Nix, and Co., 77, Lombard-street.	National Bank of India, 80, King William-street.
General London Bank, James-street, Covent-garden.	National Bank of Scotland, 37, Nicholas-lane.
Gillet, Brothers, and Co., 72, Lombard-street.	National Exchange and Credit Bank, 32, Lombard-street.
Glyn, Mills, and Co., 67, Lombard-street.	National Provincial Bank of England, 112, Bishopsgate-street Within; 14, Waterloo-place, Pall-mall; 28, Baker-street, Portman-square; 173, Upper-street, Islington.
Goslings and Sharpe, 19, Fleet-street, Grindlay and Co., 55, Parliament-st.	Oriental Bank Corporation, 40, Threadneedle-street.
Harwood, Knight, and Allen, 17, and 18, Cornhill.	Praed, Fane, and Co., 189, Fleet-street.
Herries, Farquhar, and Co., 16, St. James's-street.	Prescott, Grote, and Co., 62, Threadneedle-street.
Hill and Sons, 17, West Smithfield; and Cattle Market.	Provincial Banking Corporation, 7, Bank-buildings, Lothbury; 163, Edgware-road; 560, Kingsland-rd., Lewisham, Sutton, and Twickenham.
Hoare, Messrs., 37, Fleet-street.	Provincial Bank of Ireland, 42, Old Broad-street.
Hong-Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, 32, Lombard-street.	Ranson, Bouvier, and Co., 1, Pall-mall East.
Hopkinson and Co., 3, Regent-street.	Richardson and Co., 18, Pall-mall, and 23, Cornhill.
Imperial Bank, 6, Lothbury; 1, Westminster-chambers, Victoria-street; and 1, Sidney-place, Onslow-square.	Robarts, Lubbock, and Company, 15, Lombard-street.
Imperial Ottoman Bank, 26, Throgmorton-street.	Samuel, Montagu, and Co., 60, Old Broad-street.
Ionian Bank, 31, Finsbury-circus.	Scott, Sir Samuel, Bart., and Co., 1, Cavendish-square.
King and Co., 65, Cornhill, and 45, Pall-mall.	Seyd and Co., 1A, Princes-street, Bank.
Lacy and Son, 60, West Smithfield; and New Cattle Market.	Shank, J., 4, Bank-buildings, Cattle Market.
London and Brazilian Bank, 2, Old Broad-street.	Smith, Payne, and Smiths, 1, Lombard-street.
London and County Joint-Stock Banking Co., 21, Lombard-street; Albert-gate, Knightsbridge; 21, Hanover-square; 6, Berkeley-place, Edgware-road; 441, Oxford-street; 34, High-street, Boro'; 67, High-street, Kensington; 19, High-street, Islington; 193, Caledonian-road, Islington; 181, Shore-ditch; 1, Amherst-road East, Hackney; 6, Henrietta-street, Covent-garden; 74, Westbourne-grove, Bayswater; 165, Westminster Bridge-road; 1, Providence-place, Limehouse; 324, High Holborn; 18, Newington-butt, S.E.; 112, Aldersgate-street; 3, Victoria-street, Westminster; Blackheath, Deptford, Greenwich, Woolwich, Stratford, Barnet, and Hammersmith.	Standard Bank of British South Africa, 10, Clement's-lane, Lombard-street.
London and River Plate Bank, 40, Moorgate-street.	Stride, J. and W. S., 41, West Smithfield; and Cattle Market.
London and San Francisco Bank, 22, Old Broad-street.	Twining, R., and Co., 215, Strand.
London and South African Bank, 10, King William-street, City.	Union Bank of Australia, 1, Bank-buildings, Princes-street.
London and South-Western Bank, 7, Fenchurch-street; 27, Regent-street; 67, Park-street, Camden Town; High-street, Hampstead; Circus-rd., St. John's wood; Clap-ham-common; Commercial-road, Stepney; Bow; 10, Loughborough-place, Brixton; 304, Brixton-road.	Union Bank of London, 2, Princes-street, City; 66, Charing-cross; 14, Argyll-place, Regent-street; Chancery-lane; and Holborn-circus.
London and South African Bank, 10, King William-street, City.	Vernon and Co., 23, Regent-street.
London and South-Western Bank, 7, Fenchurch-street; 27, Regent-street; 67, Park-street, Camden Town; High-street, Hampstead; Circus-rd., St. John's wood; Clap-ham-common; Commercial-road, Stepney; Bow; 10, Loughborough-place, Brixton; 304, Brixton-road.	Williams, Deacon, Labouchere, and Co., 20, Birch-lane.
London and South African Bank, 10, King William-street, City.	Willis, Percival, and Co., 76, Lombard-street.

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3	M	Jamaica taken, 1695	4 31	3 14	7 24	3 36	4 41			27								—	0 10	9 3	9 26	123		
4	Tu	Lord Hatheron (statesman) died, 1833	4 29	3 20	7 26	3 52	6 14			28								0 33	0 55	9 49	10 11	124		
5	W	Napoleon I. died, 1821	4 28	3 26	7 27	4 7	7 49			○								1 15	1 35	10 31	10 51	125		
6	Th	Ascension Day. <i>Holy Thursday</i>	4 26	3 31	7 29	4 31	9 26			1								1 57	2 18	11 13	11 34	126		
7	F	Length of day, 15h. 6m.	4 24	3 35	7 30	4 59	10 54			2								2 40	3 2	11 56	—	127		
8	S	Law Easter Term ends	4 22	3 39	7 32	5 46	Morn.			3								3 23	3 45	0 18	0 39	128		
9	S	SUNDAY AFTER ASCENSION	4 21	3 43	7 33	6 51	0 5			4								4 10	4 35	1 1	1 26	129		
10	M	Indian Mutiny commenced, 1857	4 19	3 46	7 35	8 9	0 55			5								5 0	5 26	1 51	2 16	130		
11	Tu	Sir John F. W. Herschel died, 1871	4 17	3 48	7 36	9 34	1 28			6								5 53	6 21	2 42	3 9	131		
12	W	Passage of the Douro, 1809	4 15	3 50	7 38	10 57	1 51			7								6 53	7 27	3 37	4 9	132		
13	Th	Pope Pius IX. born, 1792	4 14	3 51	7 39	Aftern.	2 9			8								8 3	8 42	4 43	5 19	133		
14	F	Oxford Easter Term ends. Cambridge Easter Term divides	4 12	3 51	7 41	1 28	2 22			9								9 22	10 3	5 58	6 38	134		
15	S	Oxford Trinity Term begins	4 11	3 51	7 42	2 40	2 34			10								10 38	11 8	7 19	7 54	135		
16	S	WHIT SUNDAY. Pentecost	4 10	3 51	7 44	3 51	2 44			11								11 34	11 58	8 24	8 50	136		
17	M	Length of night, sh. 23m.	4 8	3 50	7 45	5 2	2 53			12								—	0 20	9 14	9 36	137		
18	Th	Boswell died, 1795	4 6	3 48	7 47	6 14	3 4			13								0 40	1 0	9 56	10 16	138		
19	W	Dunstan, Archbishop	4 5	3 46	7 48	7 28	3 17			14								1 19	1 37	10 35	10 53	139		
20	Th	Columbus died, 1506	4 4	3 43	7 49	8 41	3 35			●								1 53	2 9	11 9	11 25	140		
21	F	Maria Edgeworth died, 1849	4 3	3 40	7 50	9 49	3 58			16								2 25	2 43	11 41	11 59	141		
22	S	Law Trinity Term begins	4 2	3 36	7 52	10 54	4 30			17								3 0	3 15	—	0 16	142		
23	S	TRINITY SUNDAY	4 0	3 32	7 53	11 43	5 16			18								3 30	3 48	0 31	0 46	143		
24	M	Birth of Queen Victoria, 1819	3 59	3 27	7 55	Morn.	6 17			19								4 7	4 25	1 4	1 23	144		
25	Tu	Princess Helena born, 1846	3 58	3 22	7 56	0 19	7 27			20								4 41	5 0	1 41	1 57	145		
26	W	Augustin, Archbishop	3 57	3 16	7 58	0 45	8 45			21								5 20	5 44	2 16	2 36	146		
27	Th	Corpus Christi	3 56	3 10	7 59	1 4	10 5			22								6 10	6 35	3 0	3 26	147		
28	F	William Pitt born, 1759	3 55	3 3	8 0	1 19	11 26			23								7 3	7 35	3 51	4 19	148		
29	S	King Charles II. Restored, 1660	3 54	2 55	8 1	1 31	Aftern.			24								8 8	8 43	4 51	5 24	149		
30	S	1ST SUNDAY AFT. TRINITY	3 53	2 47	8 2	1 44	2 13			25								9 19	9 55	5 59	6 35	150		
31	M	Canton taken, 1841	3 52	2 39	8 3	1 56	3 39			26								10 27	10 55	7 11	7 43	151		



"NINA."—FROM A PICTURE BY A. BONIFAZI.—FROM "THE ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS."

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POST OFFICE REGULATIONS.

Facility is given to the Post Office in the discharge of its daily duties, and greater security afforded to the public, by careful attention to the following:—

To post all letters, &c., as early as practicable, especially when sent in large numbers, as is frequently the case with newspapers and circulars.

To make the address legible and complete, giving the name of the post town, and if there be more than one town in the kingdom of that name, or if the post town be not well known, adding the name of the county. Letters posted in one part of the United Kingdom and intended for another part (as, for example, letters posted in England and intended for Scotland) should have the name of the country to which they are sent added to the other part of the address. The number of the house, too, if in a street, is a great assistance.

To see that every letter, newspaper, or other packet sent by post is securely folded and fastened. Sealing-wax will not easily adhere to the gummed portion of an envelope. When postage stamps are remitted they should be inclosed in paper sufficiently thick to prevent them being seen or felt through the cover. It should be remembered that every packet has to be several times handled, and that even when in the mail-bag it is exposed to pressure and friction. Unless, therefore, the article be light and pliant it should be inclosed in strong paper, linen, parchment, or some other material which will not readily tear or break. The observance of this precaution is especially necessary whenever any fragile articles of value are forwarded by post. These should always be inclosed in a wooden or tin box. Owing to neglect of these precautions many postal packets burst open, causing much trouble to the department and risk to the owners, it being sometimes impossible to determine to what packet a particular article belongs.

All inland letters and packets which, from the way they are folded or packed, obviously contain jewellery or watches, and which have not been duly tendered for registration, must be compulsorily registered and charged a double registration fee of 8d., in the same manner as letters containing coin. Letters, however, must not be registered on the mere suspicion that they contain any of these articles, nor must there be any prying into them for the purpose of ascertaining their contents; and it is only when, as in the case of letters containing coin, there is no doubt that some of the articles enumerated are inclosed that they are to be subjected to this regulation. Letters are often found in post-offices under some of the following conditions:—1, posted in such thin covers that their contents are clearly visible; 2, posted with some of the contents protruding from the covers; 3, posted without being sealed or in any way closed against inspection; 4, accidentally come open in transit. Under any of these circumstances there will be no difficulty in determining whether the contents are such as to bring the letter within the rule.

When complaint is made of letters or newspapers lost, miscarried or delayed, furnish information as precise as possible regarding all the facts of the case, and inclose whatever documents may throw light upon it. The day and hour at which the letter or newspaper was posted, as well as the office at which and the person by whom this was done, should always be stated; and, when possible, the cover or wrapper in an entire state should be sent.

RATES OF POSTAGE ON INLAND LETTERS.

The rates of postage to be prepaid are as follow, viz.:—

For a letter not exceeding 1 oz.	1d.
Exceeding 1 oz., but not exceeding 2 oz.	1½d.
" 2 oz., and less than 4 oz.	2d.
" 4 oz., and less than 6 oz.	2½d.
" 6 oz., and less than 8 oz.	3d.
" 8 oz., and less than 10 oz.	3½d.
" 10 oz., and less than 12 oz.	4d.

A letter exceeding the weight of 12 oz. is liable to a postage of 1d. for every ounce, beginning with the first ounce. A letter, for example, weighing between 14 oz. and 15 oz. must be prepaid 1s. 3d.

All inland letters must be prepaid in stamps. A letter posted unpaid is chargeable on delivery with double postage; and if insufficiently prepaid is chargeable with double the deficiency.

The following are the latest times for posting letters, &c., in London for the evening mails. Book packets must be posted the same time as newspapers:—

	Chief Office.		Branch Office, Lombard-st.		District Offices.		Receiving Houses.	
	Letters	Papers	Letters	Papers	Letters	Papers	Letters	Papers
For inland and foreign evening mails	6.0	5.30	6.0	5.30	6.0	5.30	5.30	4.45
For ditto, if prepaid by stamps, and bearing extra 1d. stamp	6.45	...	3.45	...	6.15	...	6.0	...
By bearing an extra 2d. stamp	7.30	...	7.15	...	...	...	...	...
Newspapers, &c., by paying 4d. extra	6.45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. by paying 1d. extra	7.15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" 1d.	7.30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

The above times refer to the E.C. and W.C. districts only. In other districts the hours are earlier. Letters, &c., can also be posted at the following railway stations by affixing 2d. extra in stamps to each:—Great Western (Paddington), for day mail, 7 to 9 a.m.; night mail, 6 to 8.30 p.m. North Western (Euston), for day mail to Ireland, 6.45 to 7.5 a.m.; night mail, 6 to 8.15 p.m.; or for either day or night mails to North of England and Scotland, 15 minutes later. South-Eastern (Cannon-street), for night mail, 6 to 8.50 p.m. South-Western (Waterloo), for night mail, 6 to 8.50 p.m.

REGISTERED LETTERS.—For the night mails the latest time for registering inland and foreign letters at the chief office, St. Martin's-le-Grand, and at the head district and branch offices in London, on payment of the ordinary fee of 4d., is 5.30 p.m.; or on payment of a late fee of 4d. in addition to the registration-fee, the latest time is 6 p.m. At the town receiving-houses the latest time for registering letters for the night mails is 5 p.m. Registered letters are not forwarded by the midnight despatches. For the day mails to the provinces, Ireland, Scotland, France, and the Continent generally, and for the colonial and foreign mails via Southampton, letters can be regis-

tered at the chief office, and at the head district and branch offices, at the ordinary fee between 6 and 7.30 p.m., and at the town receiving-houses between 5.30 and 7.30 p.m. the previous evening.

OVERCHARGED LETTERS.—Overcharges are returned between the hours of 10 and 4, on presenting the overcharged letters at the office for the sale of stamps, &c., at the General Post Office. On the letter may be sent to the office by the letter-carrier of the district, and the overcharge will be returned with the letter in two days.

POSTAGE STAMPS, &c.—Postage stamps and stamped envelopes are sold at the chief office and at Lombard-street between the hours of 7 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.; at the Western district office between 7 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.; at the other district offices and the Charing-cross branch office between 8 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.; and at the receiving-houses between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m., Sundays excepted.

LETTERS "TO BE CALLED FOR."

The Poste Restante being intended solely for the accommodation of strangers and travellers who have no permanent abode in London, letters for residents in London must not be addressed "Post Office till called for." Letters addressed to "Initials" or "Fictitious Names" at the Poste Restante, or any district or branch office, are returned to the writers. Letters may not be redirected from a private address to the Poste Restante.

All persons applying for letters at the Poste Restante must be prepared to give the necessary particulars to the clerk on duty, in order to prevent mistakes and to ensure the delivery of the letters to the persons to whom they properly belong.

Letters for passengers on board the Cunard and Inman packets for America touching at Queenstown, or on board the Mediterranean packets about to sail from Southampton with the mails for India, Australia, China, &c., may be posted in any part of the United Kingdom up to the time at which ordinary registered letters to go by the same packets are received. They must be registered, and the postage and registration fee must be fully prepaid, and they must be addressed to the care of the commander of the packet.

Letters for passengers on board the Canadian packets touching at Londonderry may, under similar conditions, be posted up to the same time as ordinary registered letters for Canada. These must be addressed to the care of the officer in charge of the mails.

The letters should be addressed thus:—"Mr. —, on board the mail packet for —, at Queenstown [Londonderry or Southampton]. Care of the officer in charge of the mails," or "care of the commander of the packet;" as the case may be.

Letters directed to the care of the packet agent at Suez, and dispatched by the mail via Brindisi, will probably reach passengers for India, &c., who have sailed in the packet which left Southampton the previous week.

THE NEWSPAPER HALFPENNY POSTAGE

applies to any publication consisting wholly or in great part of political or other news, or of articles relating thereto, or to other current topics, with or without advertisements, and published at intervals of not more than seven days; and for each newspaper, whether posted singly or in a packet, the prepaid postage is one halfpenny. Every newspaper must be so folded as to admit of the title being read. No packet of newspapers must exceed 14 lb. weight nor 2 ft. in length.

In order that no failure may occur in the delivery of newspapers through the covers becoming detached, it is recommended that the addresses be written on exposed parts of the newspapers themselves as well as on the covers.

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN.—Under the powers given to the Postmaster-General by the Post Office Act, 1870, the regulations relating to the registration of publications for transmission abroad as Newspapers have been revised. The definition laid down in the Act, in regard to newspapers which may be registered for transmission through the post in the United Kingdom, is alike applicable to those which may be registered for transmission abroad, except that for foreign transmission a newspaper may be published at intervals of thirty-one days, and that it (but not its supplement) may be printed on sheets stitched together. Newspapers going abroad are also subject to the following regulations:—"Prices Current" and "Market Reports," but not private price-lists or trade catalogues, are admitted to the same privileges as newspapers for foreign transmission. Publications registered for transmission abroad must be posted within eight days from the date of publication, including the day of publication, otherwise they will be rejected. It is forbidden to introduce into Russia, through the post, political newspapers of any kind, and therefore they must be obtained through the agency of some established bookseller. Printed price-currents, in covers open at both ends, are not forbidden.

THE POSTAGE OF THE ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS, with Ordinary Supplement, for the United Kingdom and the Channel Islands must be prepaid by affixing a halfpenny stamp. Copies for the Colonies and Foreign Countries—printed on thin paper (the ordinary Edition being charged double)—must have stamps affixed to them at the following rates, and must be posted within eight days of the date of publication:—

Africa, West Coast of	1d	Germany	2d
Alexandria { via Southampton	1d	Gibraltar { via France	3d
" via Brindisi	2d	Holland, via Belgium	2d
Australia { via Southampton	1d	India { via Brindisi	3d
" via Brindisi	3d	Italy, via Belgium	3d
Austria	1d	Mexico	1d
Belgium	1d	New Zealand	1d
Brazil	1d	Spain	2d
Canada	1d	Sweden, via Huil	2d
Cape of Good Hope	1d	Switzerland	2d
China { via Southampton	1d	United States	1d
" via Brindisi	3d	West Indies	1d
Constantinople, via Marseilles	2d		
Denmark, via Belgium	3d		
France	1d		

Newspapers for India and the adjacent countries, via Southampton, 1d.; via Brindisi, 3d., not exceeding 4 oz.; a further rate of 1d. being chargeable for every additional 4 oz. or fraction of 4 oz. Payment in advance is the one condition required under the new rates, in default of which no newspaper will be forwarded.

PATTERN AND SAMPLE POST.

INLAND.—Pattern and Sample Post is restricted to bona fide trade patterns or samples of merchandise. The colonial and foreign

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sample post is variable both in limit of weight and also in rates of postage. See *British Postal Guide*, published quarterly. Goods sent for sale, or in execution of an order (however small the quantity may be), or any articles sent by one private individual to another which are not actually patterns or samples, are not admissible. There must be no writing or printing upon any packet except the address of the person for whom it is intended, the address of the sender, a trade-mark or number, and the price of the articles; nor may there be any writing or printing or other thing inclosed, except such address, mark, number, and price, and a written or printed description of the articles; and these particulars may be on labels attached to the samples. If this rule be infringed, the packet will be treated as a letter.

POST-CARDS.—Post-cards, which bear a halfpenny impressed stamp, are available for transmission between places in the United Kingdom only. The front (or stamped) side is intended for the address only. On the reverse side, any communication, whether of the nature of a letter or otherwise, may be written or printed; but such communication must not extend to the front side. Private cards may be stamped on application to the office of Inland Revenue, Somerset House. Postage-cards can only be purchased in packets of one dozen and upwards.

BOOK POST.—A Book-Packet may contain not only books, paper, or other substance in ordinary use for writing or printing, whether plain or written or printed upon (to the exclusion of any written letter or communication of the nature of a letter); photographs, when not on glass or in frames containing glass or any like substance, and anything usually appertaining to such articles in the way of binding and mounting, or necessary for their safe transmission by post, but also Circulars, when these are wholly or in great part printed, engraved, or lithographed. The postage is one halfpenny for every 2 oz., or fraction of that weight. A packet posted wholly unpaid will be charged with double the book-postage; and, if posted partially prepaid, with double the deficiency. Every book-packet must be posted either without a cover or in a cover open at both ends, and in such a manner as to admit of the contents being easily withdrawn for examination; otherwise it will be treated as a letter. No book-packet may contain anything sealed or otherwise closed against inspection; nor must there be any letter, nor any communication of the nature of a letter, whether separate or otherwise, unless the whole of such letter or communication be printed. It must not exceed 5 lb. in weight and 18 in. in length.

POST OFFICE TELEGRAPHHS.

The charge for telegrams throughout the United Kingdom, including the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man, but excepting the Scilly, Orkney, and Shetland Islands, is 1s. for the first twenty words, and 3d. for every additional five words—i.e., for every additional group of not more than five words; the names and addresses of the sender and receiver not being counted.

If the addressee resides at a greater distance than three miles from the terminal telegraph office, portage is charged for delivery by mounted messengers at the rate of 1s. per double mile, except in the case of telegrams for Ireland, where the charge is only 8d. per double mile.

If the sender requires his telegram to be forwarded by post or by train from the terminal telegraph office he must write the words "by post" or "by train" in the space provided for that purpose at the foot of the message.

Telegrams written on the proper forms and properly prepaid may be handed to rural messengers who are proceeding to post telegraph-offices for transmission therefrom.

Telegrams written in any European language are charged for according to the number of words they contain; but all unintelligible words not forming part of any European language are charged for as if each syllable were one word. Should the word not be composed of syllables, then five letters are considered as equal to one word.

Telegrams may be repeated at the request of the sender, if he desires to adopt this extra security against risk of error, by being resignalised from each office at which they are received to the office from which they are forwarded. The charge for repetition is one half the ordinary tariff; fractions of threepence being reckoned as twopence.

The cost of a reply to a telegram may be prepaid; and prepaid reply pass will then be delivered to the addressee, who will be at liberty to send his reply, from any postal telegraph station, at any time within two months after the date of the original telegram.

The following exceptional compound words are charged for as one word:—Midday, midnight, noonday, se'nnight, cannot, to-day, to-night, to-morrow, yesternight, yesterday, halfpenny, twopence, and pence up to elevenpence. Also all denominations of trades, such as linendraper, silversmith, share-broker, &c. Abbreviations of auxiliary verbs designated by apostrophes (such as can't, won't, don't, I'll, you'll, couldn't, shouldn't, &c.) are charged for as one word. By writing words in this way, however, there is greater risk of error.

Numbers expressed in figures in an inland telegram are counted as so many words, according to the number of figures employed. For example—“7” counts as one word, “12” as two words, “385” as three words.

The department is not liable for losses incurred through the incorrect transmission, delay, or non-delivery of telegrams.

Telegraph offices are, as a rule, open from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. on week days, and from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. on Sunday. There are, however, offices in several of the larger towns which are open for longer periods; and at certain offices in London and in the country there is attendance continuously during the day and night, both on week days and Sundays.

TOWN DELIVERIES.

The portion of each district within about three miles of the General Post Office is designated the town delivery, and the remainder the suburban delivery.

SUBURBAN DELIVERIES.

There are seven despatches daily to the suburban districts. The first is at 6.30 a.m. to all places within the London district limits; and includes the correspondence by the night mails from the provinces, and by any colonial or foreign mails arriving in sufficient time. This delivery is generally completed in the nearer suburbs by 9 a.m., and at the more distant places between 9 and 10 a.m. The second despatch is at 9.30 a.m. to the nearer suburban districts. The third is at 11.30 a.m., and comprises, with a few exceptions, every part of the London district. The fourth despatch, at 2.30 p.m., is to most of the suburban districts, isolated localities excepted. The fifth despatch, at 4.30 p.m., extends to the whole of the suburban districts, and, except in the remoter rural places, the letters are delivered the same evening. The

sixth despatch, at 6 p.m. is also to the nearer suburbs. The seventh despatch is at 7 p.m. Letters for this despatch posted at the town receiving houses and pillar boxes by 6 p.m., or at the chief office of the district to which they are addressed by 7.30 p.m., are delivered the same evening at all the principal places within about six miles of the General Post Office. At the more distant places the letters are delivered early the following morning.

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN MAIIS.

Australia.—Mails to these colonies are dispatched twice a month.

India.—Mails to India are now dispatched every Friday via Brindisi, and every Thursday morning via Southampton. The postage of letters to India and Ceylon per half ounce is 9d. when sent via Southampton, and 1s. when sent via Brindisi. The scale advances by half ounces instead of by ounces.

United States of America.—Letters, 6 cents per single rate of 15 grammes (one half-ounce) in the United States, and 3d. (6 cents) in the United Kingdom; prepayment optional. A fine will, however, be levied and collected in addition to the deficient postage on each unpaid, or insufficiently prepaid, letter received by one country from the other. Newspapers, 2 cents each in the United States, and 1d. each in the United Kingdom, if not exceeding 4 oz. in weight. Book-packets, including printed papers of all kinds, &c., and patterns and samples of merchandise, including seeds and grain, when not exceeding 1 oz. in weight, 2 cents in the United States, and 1d. in the United Kingdom.

Letters for such places in Turkey and Asia Minor as have no Austrian post office should be addressed to the care of an agent residing in the nearest port at which an Austrian post office has been established. It is recommended also that any letters for Erzroum and other parts of the interior of Armenia, or for Persia, be addressed to the care of some agent at Samsoun or Trebizond, to be forwarded to their destination.

Letters for Russia should have the name of the town added in either English, French, or German; and if for the smaller towns in Russia they should bear as a part of their address the name of the province or government in which they are situated.

When the time for making up a colonial or foreign mail is marked “Morning,” the latest time for posting letters by it at the chief office is 8.55 a.m.; at the Lombard-street branch office, 8.30 a.m.; at the Charing-cross branch office, 4 a.m.; and at the district offices, 6 a.m. In the case of the French mail, letters must be posted at the E.C. and W.C. pillar-boxes at 3.45 a.m., and at the several branch offices and pillar-boxes in the town districts not later than 4 a.m.; in certain suburban boxes not later than 3 a.m.; and at the chief office not later than 6.30 a.m. When marked “Evening,” the latest time is the same as for the inland night mails.

MONEY ORDERS

are issued at the chief district offices and at the branch offices, Lombard-street and Charing-cross, between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m.; on Saturdays between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.; at other branch offices and receiving-houses in the town districts between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m.; at branch offices in the suburban districts between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m.; and at receiving-houses in the suburban districts between 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. On Saturdays savings bank deposits are received at all receiving-offices until 8 p.m. The commission on inland money orders is:—For sums under 10s., 1d.; of 10s. and under £1, 2d.; and for every additional pound or fraction of a pound, 1d. No order is allowed to contain a fractional part of a penny, and the printed forms only should be used which are supplied gratuitously.

INTERNATIONAL MONEY ORDERS BETWEEN GREAT BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES.—Offices have been selected in all the States and territories. No single order will be issued for more than 50 dols., but persons desiring to remit larger sums can obtain additional money orders. The rates of commission on these money orders will range from 0.25 on orders not exceeding 10 dols., to 1 dol. 25c. for over 40 dols. and not exceeding 50 dols.

The scale of commission for orders payable abroad is as follows:—

For sums not exceeding	... s. d.	... s. d.	£2 s. d.	£5 s. d.	£7 s. d.	£10 s. d.
If payable in Switzerland, Belgium, Denmark, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands, Egypt, or at Malta, Gibraltar, or Constantinople	0 9	1 6	2 3	3 0		
If payable in any other place abroad (including most of the colonies) authorised to transact money-order business with this country	1 0	2 0	3 0	4 0		

Money Orders are issued in the United Kingdom on the following colonies, British agencies, and foreign countries:—

Alexandria.	Gold Coast.	St. Helena.
Berbice (New Amsterdam).	Holland.	Seychelle Islands.
Belgium.	Honduras.	Shanghai.
British Columbia.	Hong-Kong.	Smyrna.
Cape of Good Hope.	India.	South Australia.
Canada.	Italy.	Straits Settlements.
Ceylon (Colombo).	Malta.	Suez.
Constantinople.	Mauritius.	Switzerland.
Coquimbo.	Natal.	Tasmania.
Demerara (Georgetown).	New Brunswick.	United States.
Denmark.	Newfoundland.	Valparaiso.
Falkland Islands.	New South Wales.	Victoria.
France (Paris only).	New Zealand.	West Coast of Africa.
The German Empire.	Nova Scotia.	West Indies.
Gibraltar.	Prince Edward Island.	Western Australia.
	Queensland.	Yokohama.

POST OFFICE SAVINGS BANKS.

Deposits of One Shilling, or of any number of shillings, or of pounds and shillings, may be made by any person at the Post-Office Savings Banks, provided that such depositor shall not make deposits amounting to more than £30 in any year ending Dec. 31, or make any further deposit when the amount standing in his name exceeds £150, exclusive of interest. When any depositor's principal and interest amount together to £200, all interest will cease so long as the balance of the account continues to amount to the said sum of £200.

Interest calculated yearly at the rate of £2 10s. per cent per annum will be allowed on every complete pound deposited, reckoned from the first day of the calendar month next following the day on which a complete pound shall have been deposited or completed, up to the first day of the calendar month in which the moneys are withdrawn.

JUNE.



BLACKBIRD.

D. OF M. W.	ANNIVERSARIES, FESTIVALS, OCCURRENCES, ETC.	SUN.			MOON.			DURATION OF MOONLIGHT.												HIGH WATER AT				Day of Year				
		Rises.		Souths before Noon.	Sets.	Rises.		Morn.	Aftern.	Before Sunrise.		Moon's Age.	After Sunset.		London Bridge.		Liverpool Dock.		Morn.	Aftern.	Morn.	Aftern.						
		H.	M.	M.	S.	H.	M.	H.	M.	0'Clock.	1	2	3	4	8	9	10	11	12	Morn.	Aftern.	Morn.	Aftern.					
1	Tu <i>Nicomede</i>	3	51	2	30	8	4	2	10	5	12				27					11	24	11	51	8	11	8	40	152
2	W Gordon Riots commenced, 1780	3	51	2	21	8	5	2	30	6	47				28					—	0	17	9	7	9	33	153	
3	Th Prince George of Wales born, 1865	3	50	2	12	8	6	2	54	8	21				○					0	43	1	8	9	59	10	24	154
4	F Countess of Blesington died, 1849	3	50	2	2	8	7	3	32	9	43				1					1	34	2	0	10	50	11	16	155
5	S Boniface, Bishop	3	49	1	51	8	8	4	29	10	44				2					2	25	2	48	11	41	—	156	
6	S 2ND SUND. AFT. TRINITY	3	48	1	41	8	9	5	44	11	26				3					3	13	3	38	0	4	0	29	157
7	M Reform Bill passed, 1832	3	47	1	30	8	10	7	9	11	54				4					4	5	4	30	0	54	1	21	158
8	Tu Length of day, 16h. 24m.	3	47	1	19	8	11	8	37	Morn.				5					4	55	5	20	1	46	2	11	159	
9	W Sir Joseph Paxton died, 1865	3	46	1	7	8	11	9	59	0	14				6					5	45	6	10	2	36	3	1	160
10	Th Crystal Palace opened, 1854	3	46	0	56	8	12	11	15	0	28				7					6	39	7	6	3	26	3	55	161
11	F St. Barnabas	3	45	0	44	8	13	Aftern.	0	41				8					7	34	8	2	4	22	4	50	162	
12	S Law Trinity Term ends	3	45	0	32	8	14	1	39	0	52				9					8	32	9	5	5	18	5	48	163
13	S 3RD SUND. AFT. TRINITY	3	45	0	19	8	15	2	51	1	2				10					9	37	10	10	6	21	6	53	164
14	M Battle of Nazeby, 1645	3	45	0	7	8	16	4	3	1	12				11					10	37	11	5	7	26	7	53	165
15	Tu Magna Charta signed, 1215	3	44	Aftern.	8	16	5	15	1	24				12					11	33	Midn.	8	21	8	49	166		
16	W Duke of Marlborough died, 1722	3	44	0	18	8	16	6	31	1	40				13					—	0	22	9	16	9	38	167	
17	Th St. Alban	3	44	0	31	8	16	7	42	2	2				14					0	44	1	6	10	0	10	22	168
18	F Battle of Waterloo, 1815	3	44	0	44	8	17	8	47	2	32				15					1	27	1	45	10	43	11	1	169
19	S Inigo Jones died, 1652	3	44	0	57	8	17	9	40	3	13				16					2	4	2	24	11	20	11	40	170
20	S 4TH SUND. AFT. TRINITY	3	44	1	10	8	18	10	18	4	10				17					2	43	3	0	11	59	—	171	
21	M [Access. of Queen Victoria	3	44	1	23	8	18	10	50	5	19				18					3	18	3	35	0	16	0	34	172
22	Tu Cambridge commencement	3	44	1	36	8	18	11	11	6	35				19					3	53	4	12	0	51	1	9	173
23	W Queen reviewed 20 000 volunteers in Hyde Park, 1860	3	45	1	48	8	19	11	27	7	54				20					4	30	4	52	1	28	1	46	174
24	Th St. John Baptist. Midsummer Day	3	46	2	1	8	19	11	39	9	14				21					5	13	5	32	2	8	2	29	175
25	F Cambridge Easter Term ends	3	46	2	14	8	19	11	50	10	34				22					5	55	6	18	2	48	3	11	176
26	S Great Storm over London, 1788	3	46	2	27	8	18	Morn.	11	54				23					6	43	7	10	3	34	3	59	177	
27	S 5TH SUND. AFT. TRINITY	3	46	2	39	8	18	0	3	Aftern.				24					7	37	8	5	4	26	4	53	178	
28	M Coronation Day	3	46	2	52	8	18	0	15	2	45				25					8	35	9	7	5	21	5	51	179
29	Tu St. Peter	3	47	3	4	8	18	0	31	4	16				26					9	39	10	13	6	23	6	55	180
30	W Duke of Argyll beheaded, 1685	3	47	3	16	8	18	0	53	5	48				27					10	47	11	19	7	29	8	3	181



"HOMeward SERENELY SHE WALKED, WITH GOD'S BENEDICTION UPON HER."—PAINTED BY A. C. H. LUXMOORE

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Where the annual salary, fees, or emoluments appertaining to such office or employment do not exceed £100 ...		2 0 0		
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" 150 "		6 0 0		
" 200 "		8 0 0		
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For every £100, and for every fractional part of £100 ...		5 0 0		
Exemptions.—Admission proceeding upon a duly stamped appointment or grant. First appointment of any person to the office or employment of outdoor officer, boatman, waterman, or watchman in the service of the Customs. Periodical readmission or reappointment to any office.				
AFFIDAVIT, or Statutory declaration made under the provisions of 5 and 6 Will, 4, c. 62 ...		£0 2 6		
APPOINTMENTS, whether by way of Donation, Presentation, or Nomination, and Admission, Collation, or Institution, to or License to hold any ecclesiastical benefice, dignity, or promotion, or any perpetual curacy. In England, if the net yearly value thereof exceeds—				
£50 and not exc. £100 ...		£1 0 0	Not exceeding £5 per annum ...	£ s. d.
100 "		150 "	Ex. £5 and not exceeding £10 ...	£ s. d.
150 "		200 "	" 10 "	0 0 6
" 200 "		300 "	" 15 "	0 1 0
And also (if such yearly value exceeds £300) for every £100 of such yearly value over and above £300 a further duty of ...		7 0 0	" 20 "	0 1 6
In Scotland ...		2 0 0	" 25 "	0 2 0
Exemptions.—Admission, collation, institution, or license proceeding upon a duly stamped donation, presentation, or nomination.			" 50 "	0 5 0
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APPRaisal or valuation of any property, or of any interest therein, or of the annual value thereof, or of any dilapidations, or of any repairs wanted, or of the materials and labour used or to be used in any building, or of any artificers' work whatsoever:—			100 "	100
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Exc. £5 and not exc. £10 ...		0 0 6	Ex. £50 and not exc. £100 ...	£ s. d.
" 10 "		20 "	" 100 "	0 1 0
" 20 "		30 "	" 150 "	0 1 6
" 30 "		40 "	" 200 "	0 2 0
Exc. £5 and not exc. £100 ...		50 0 0	" 250 "	0 2 6
Exemptions.—Appraisal or valuation made for, and for the information of, one party only, and not being in any manner obligatory as between parties either by agreement or operation of law. Appraisal or valuation made in pursuance of the order of any Court of Admiralty or Vice-Admiralty, or for the purpose of ascertaining the legacy or succession duty.			" 500 "	0 5 0
AWARD in England or Ireland, and Award or Decree Arbitral in Scotland. Where the amount or value of the matter in dispute—			" 750 "	0 7 6
Not exceeding £5 ...		£0 0 3	100 "	100
Exc. £5 and not exc. £10 ...		0 0 6	125 "	125
" 10 "		20 "	150 "	150
" 20 "		30 "	175 "	175
" 30 "		40 "	200 "	200
" 40 "		50 "	225 "	225
And where it exceeds £1000, and in any other case not above provided for ...		1 15 0	250 "	250
BANK NOTE for money:—			300 "	300
Not exceeding £1 ...		0 0 5	350 "	350
Exc. £1 and not exc. £2 ...		0 0 10	400 "	400
" 2 "		5 0 1 3	450 "	450
" 5 "		10 0 1 9	500 "	500
BILL OF EXCHANGE, payable on demand ...		0 0 1	550 "	550
Of any kind whatsoever (except a Bank Note) and Promissory Note of any kind whatsoever, drawn, or expressed to be payable, or actually paid, or indorsed, or in any manner negotiated in the United Kingdom:—			600 "	600
Not exceeding £5 ...		£0 0 1	650 "	650
Exc. £5 and not exc. £10 ...		0 0 2	700 "	700
" 10 "		25 0 0 3	750 "	750
For every £100, and also for any fractional part of £100, of such amount or value ...		0 1 0	800 "	800
Excemptions.—Bill or note issued by the Governor or Company of the Bank of England, or Bank of Ireland, and certain other Bankers' order, letter of credit, &c.			850 "	850
BILL OF LADING of any goods, merchandise, or effects to be exported or carried coastwise ...		£0 0 6	900 "	900
BOND, Covenant, or Instrument to secure any sum of money, not secured by a duly stamped instrument, for every £5 ...		0 2 6	950 "	950
Bond of any kind not specifically charged with duty, and when the amount does exceed £300, the same ad valorem duty as a Bond for a limited amount. In any other case ...		0 1 0	1000 "	1000
LEASE or TACK—For any definite term less than a year: Of any dwelling-house or tenement, or part of a dwelling-house or tenement, at a rent not exceeding the rate of £10 per annum ...		£0 0 1	1050 "	1050

Of any lands, tenements, or heritable subjects except or otherwise than as aforesaid the same duty as a lease for a year at the rent reserved for the definite term.		0 2 6
For any other definite or indefinite term: Of any lands, tenements, or heritable subjects where the consideration, or any part of the consideration, moving either to the lessor or to any other person, consists of any money, stock, or security: In respect of such consideration the same duty as a conveyance on a sale for the same consideration. Where the consideration or any part of the consideration is reserved as a yearly rent or otherwise, is at a rate or average rate:—		
If the term is definite, and does not exceed 35 years, or is indefinite.		£ s. d.
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In Ireland, in the City of Dublin, or within three miles therefrom ...		£ s. d.
In England, Scotland, or Ireland, beyond the above-mentioned limits ...		£ s. d.
CONVEYANCE or TRANSFER, whether on sale or otherwise—Of any stock of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England ...		£ s. d.
Of any stock of the East India Company ...		£ s. d.
Of any debenture stock or funded debt of any company or corporation. For every £100, and also for any fractional part of £100, of the nominal amount transferred ...		£ s. d.
On sale of any property (except such stock or debenture stock or funded debt as aforesaid):—		
Not exceeding £5 ...		0 0 6
Exc. £5 and not exc. £10 ...		0 1 0
" 10 "		15 0 1 6
" 15 "		20 0 2 0
" 20 "		25 0 2 6
" 25 "		30 0 5 0
For every £50, and also for any fractional part of £50 of such amount or value ...		0 5 0
LETTERS or POWER of ATTORNEY for the sole purpose of voting by proxy ...		0 0 1
By any petty officer, seaman, or marine, or soldier serving, of any such person for receiving prize money or wages ...		0 1 0
For the receipt of the dividends or interests of any stock—When made for the receipt of one payment only ...		0 1 0
In any other case ...		0 5 0
For the receipt of any sum of money, or any bill of exchange or promissory note for any sum of money, not exceeding £20, or any periodical payments not exceeding the annual sum of £10 (not being hereinbefore charged) ...		0 5 0
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In any other case ...		0 10 0
Of any kind whatsoever not hereinbefore described ...		0 10 0
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LETTERS of MARQUE and REPRISAL ...		£5 0 0
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LUNATIC, grant of the custody of the person or estate of any ...		2 0 0
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(To be paid by the person requiring such copy or extract.)		
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" of an earl ...		100
" of a baron ...		50
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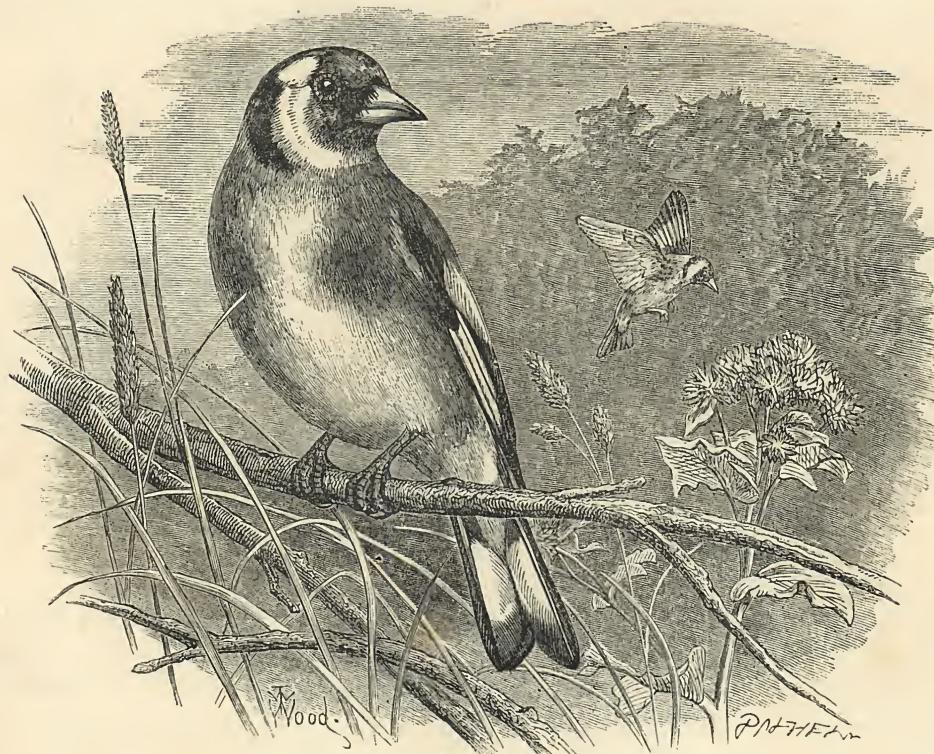
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THE SPANISH BULL-FIGHTER.

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Of the Royal assent to, or signification of, the election made by any dean and chapter, or of the nomination and presentation by her Majesty, her heirs, or successors, in default of such election of any person to be an archbishop or bishop ...	30 0 0	certificates, in connection with these payments at the proper periods, is £2 2s. in each case.
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Of any other honour, dignity, or promotion whatsoever ...	30 0 0	
Of any franchise, liberty, or privilege to any person or body politic or corporate ...	30 0 0	
<i>Exemptions.</i> —Commissions of rebellion in process. Letters patent or briefs for collecting charitable benevolences. Letters patent for confirming any dispensation herein-before charged with duty. Letters patent appointing sheriffs in England or Ireland, and the writs of assistance accompanying such letters patent.		
GRANT OR WARRANT OF PRECEDENCE to take rank among nobility, under the sign manual of her Majesty, her heirs, or successors ...	£100 0 0	
GRANT OR LICENSE under the sign manual to take and use a surname and arms, or a surname only.	50 0 0	
In compliance with the injunctions of any will or settlement ...	50 0 0	
Upon any voluntary application ...	10 0 0	
GRANT OF ARMS OR ARMORIAL ENSIGNS ONLY, under the sign manual, or by any of the Kings of Arms of England, Ireland, or Scotland ...	10 0 0	
ARMORIAL BEARINGS painted on or affixed to any carriage ...	2 2 0	
MORTGAGE, BOND, DEBENTURE, COVENANT, WARRANT OF ATTORNEY to confess and enter up judgment, and FOREIGN SECURITY of any kind. Being the only, or principal, or primary security for the payment or repayment of money—		
Not exceeding £25 ... £0 0 8 | Ex. £150 and not ex. £200 ... £0 5 0		PROVISIONAL REGISTRATION.—Under the Act 13 and 14 Vict., cap. 104, as regards the "shape or configuration" of articles of utility, designs can be protected by "provisional registration" for twelve months. Designs thus provisionally registered can be exhibited, or the right to complete registration can be sold, but the article or articles forming the subject of their provisional registration must not be manufactured for sale until complete registration is effected. At any time during the twelve months of provisional registration, the proprietor may fully register the design, under the Act 6 and 7 Vict., cap. 65.
Exc. £25 and not exc. £50 ... 0 1 3 | " 200 " 250 ... 0 6 3		
" 50 " 100 " 0 2 6 | " 250 " 300 ... 0 7 6		
" 100 " 150 " 0 3 9		
For every £100, or fractional part of £100, of such amount ...	0 2 6	INSTRUMENTS OF APPRENTICESHIP—When no premium is paid, 2s. 6d. In any other case, for every £5 of premium paid, 5s.
Being a collateral, or auxiliary, or additional, or substituted security, or by way of further assurance for the above-mentioned purpose where the principal or primary security is duly stamped, for every £100, and also for every fractional part of £100 of the amount secured ...	0 0 6	
Transfer, Assignment, Dispositions of Assignment of any mortgage, bond, debenture, covenants or foreign security, or of any money or stock secured by any such instrument, or by any warrant of attorney to enter up judgment, or by any judgment. For every £100, and also for any fractional part of £100, of the amount transferred, assigned, or disposed ...	0 0 6	ARTICLES OF CLERKSHIP—To an attorney or solicitor in England or Wales, £80. To an attorney of the County Palatine of Lancaster, or commission teinds of Scotland, £60.
And also where any further money is added to the money already secured, the same duty as a principal security for such further money.		
Reconveyance, Release, Discharge, Surrender, Resurrender, Warrant to Vacate, or Renunciation of, any such security as aforesaid, or of the benefit thereof, or of the money thereby secured:—For every £100, or fractional part of £100, of the total amount or value of the money at any time secured ...	0 0 6	
POLICY OF INSURANCE upon any life or lives, or upon any event or contingency relating to or depending upon any life or lives (except for the payment of money upon the death of any person only from accident or violence, or otherwise than from a natural cause)—		
Where the sum insured does not exceed £10 ...	£0 0 1	GENERAL EXEMPTIONS FROM ALL STAMP DUTIES—Transfers of shares in the Government or Parliamentary stocks or funds. Instruments for the sale, transfer, or other disposition, either absolutely or by way of mortgage or otherwise, of any ship or vessel, or any part, interest, share, or property, of or in any ship or vessel. Instruments of apprenticeship, bonds, contracts, and agreements, entered into in the United Kingdom, or for relating to the service in any of her Majesty's colonies or possessions abroad, of any person as an artificer, clerk, domestic servant, handcraftsman, mechanic, gardener, servant in husbandry, or labourer; parish board, or public charity. Testaments, testamentary instruments, and dispositions mortis causa in Scotland.
Exceeds £10, but does not exceed £25 ...	0 0 3	
Exceeds £25, but does not exceed £50:—For every full sum of £50, and also for any fractional part of £50, or the amount ...	0 0 6	
Exceeds £50, but does not exceed £100:—For every full sum of £100, and also for any fractional part of £100, of the amount insured ...	0 1 0	
Exceeds £100:—For every full sum of £1000, and also for any fractional part of £1000, of the amount insured ...	0 10 0	
For any payment agreed to be made upon the death of any person, only from accident or violence, or otherwise than from a natural cause, or as compensation for personal injury, or by way of indemnity against loss or damage of or to any property ...	0 0 1	
CHEQUES, DRAFTS, OR ORDERS ON DEMAND ...	0 0 1	
which must be cancelled by the person drawing the cheque, draft, or order, by writing his name on the stamp.		
RECEIPTS.—For £2 and upwards ...	0 0 1	
N.B. Persons receiving the money are to pay the duty.		
Receipts may be stamped within fourteen days of date on payment of £5, or within one month on payment of £10, penalty: after that time they cannot be stamped. Penalty for giving a receipt without a stamp, £10. Penalty for not effectually cancelling or obliterating adhesive stamps when used, £10. Penalty for frauds in the use of adhesive stamps, £20.		
PASSPORT ...	0 0 6	
LEGACIES AND SUCCESSION TO REAL PROPERTY—		
To children or their descendants, or lineal ancestors of the deceased £1 0 0		PROPERTY AND INCOME TAX.
Brother or sister, or their descendants ...	3 0 0	From April, 1874, to April, 1875, the Property and Income Tax is fixed at 2d. in the pound; incomes of £200 per annum and not exceeding £300 are taxed at the rate of 3d. in the pound after allowing a deduction of £80 on incomes of less than £300.
Uncle or aunt, or their descendants ...	5 0 0	
Grand uncle or aunt, or their descendants ...	6 0 0	<i>Exemptions of Premiums from Income Tax.</i> —Premiums paid by a person for an Assurance on his own life or on the life of his wife, or for a deferred Annuity to his widow, are declared free from income tax, provided such Premiums do not exceed one-sixth of his returnable income.
All other relations or strangers ...	10 0 0	
The husband or wife of the deceased not chargeable with duty.		
PATENTS.—The Total Cost of a Patent for the first three years is, in ordinary cases, as follows:—		DOG LICENSES.—EXCISE.
PROVISIONAL PROTECTION (giving six months' patent right).—Drawing and preparing all the necessary papers and documents, and obtaining "Protection," including stamp and agency ...	£8 0 0	For every dog ... 0 5 0
NOTICE TO PROCEED.—Drawing and entering the "Notice to Proceed," including stamp and agency ...	6 0 0	No person will be chargeable with duty to any greater amount than £23 10s. for any number of hounds, or £9 for any number of greyhounds, kept by him in any year.
SEALING THE PATENT.—Obtaining the warrant and great seal, including stamps and agency ...	12 10 0	(Penalty of £5 for keeping a dog without a license.)
FINAL SPECIFICATION, from £7 10s. upwards ...	7 10 0	
The TERM OF THE BRITISH PATENT is fourteen years; to maintain it to which period further stamp duties of £50 and £100 are payable before the expiration of three and seven years, but the omission entails no liability beyond the forfeiture of the patent right. The agency charge to obtain the required		
Stage and Hackney Carriage Drivers and Watermen ...	0 5 0	GAME LICENSES.
House agents ...	£2 0 0	If license or certificate be taken out after April 5 and before Nov. 1 to expire on April 5 in the following year ... £3 0 0
Pedlars and Hawkers ...	0 5 0	License to carry a gun ... 0 10 0
For every Male Servant (Hotel Waiters excepted) ...	0 15 0	License to deal in game ... 2 0 0

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D. OF M.	D. OF W.	ANNIVERSARIES, FESTIVALS, OCCURRENCES, ETC.	SUN.			MOON.			DURATION OF MOONLIGHT.												HIGH WATER AT				Day of Year.	
			Rises.	Souths after Noon.	Sets.	Rises.	Morn.	Sets. Aftern.	Before Sunriso.	Moon's Age.	After Sunset.	O'Clock.	8	9	10	11	12	Morn.	Aftern.	H. M.	H. M.					
1	Th	Princess Alice married, 1862	3 48	3 28	8 18	1 23	6 16			28												London Bridge.	Liverpool Dock.			182
2	F	Sir Robert Peel killed, 1850	3 49	3 39	8 17	2 10	8 28			29												8 35	9 6			183
3	S	Dog Days begin	3 50	3 51	8 17	3 17	9 18			○												0 22	0 51	9 38	10 7	183
4	W	6TH SUND. AFTER TRINITY	3 51	4 2	8 16	4 39	9 51			1												1 19	1 45	10 35	11 1	184
5	M	Princess Helena married, 1863	3 52	4 13	8 16	6 8	10 15			2												2 13	2 40	11 39	11 56	185
6	Tu	Oxford Act	3 53	4 23	8 15	7 34	10 32			3												3 5	3 33	—	0 21	186
7	W	Peace of Tilsit, 1807	3 54	4 33	8 15	8 56	10 46			4												3 58	4 20	0 49	1 14	187
8	Th	Length of day, 16h. 18m.	3 56	4 43	8 14	10 12	10 58			5												4 43	5 5	1 36	1 59	188
9	F	Fire Insurance due	3 56	4 52	8 14	11 26	11 8			6												5 27	5 48	2 21	2 43	189
10	S	Oxford Trinity Term ends	3 57	5 1	8 13	Aftern.	11 19			7												6 10	6 31	3 4	3 26	190
11	W	7TH SUND. AFTER TRINITY	3 58	5 9	8 13	1 50	11 30			8												6 53	7 16	3 47	4 9	191
12	M	J. Alex. Kinglake died, 1870	3 59	5 17	8 12	3 3	11 45			9												7 39	8 2	4 32	4 55	192
13	Th	John Cooper (actor) died, 1870	4 0	5 24	8 11	4 17	Morn.			10												8 28	8 57	5 18	5 44	193
14	W	Bastille destroyed, 1789	4 1	5 31	8 10	5 29	0 4			11												9 29	10 3	6 13	6 45	194
15	Th	St. Swithin	4 2	5 38	8 9	6 36	0 31			12												10 39	11 12	7 19	7 55	195
16	F	Sir Joshua Reynolds born, 1723	4 3	5 44	8 8	7 35	1 8			13												11 42	—	8 28	8 58	196
17	S	Dr. Watts born, 1674	4 4	5 49	8 7	8 19	2 0			14												0 10	0 37	9 26	9 53	197
18	W	8TH SUND. AFTER TRINITY	4 5	5 54	8 6	8 53	3 8			15												1 2	1 25	10 18	10 41	198
19	M	Princess Augusta born, 1822	4 6	5 59	8 5	9 16	4 21			16												1 48	2 9	11 4	11 25	199
20	Tu	Margaret	4 7	6 3	8 4	9 34	5 43			17												2 27	2 44	11 43	Midn.	200
21	W	Robert Burns died, 1796	4 9	6 6	8 3	9 47	7 3			18												3 3	3 20	—	0 19	201
22	Th	St. Mary Magdalene	4 10	6 9	8 2	9 59	8 23			19												3 40	3 57	0 36	0 56	202
23	F	Length of night, 8h. 31m.	4 11	6 11	8 0	10 10	9 43			20												4 17	4 37	1 13	1 33	203
24	S	Gibraltar taken, 1704	4 12	6 12	7 58	10 21	11 5			21												4 55	5 15	1 53	2 11	204
25	W	9TH SUND. AFTER TRINITY	4 14	6 13	7 56	10 36	Aftern.			22												5 35	5 55	2 31	2 51	205
26	M	St. Anne	4 15	6 14	7 54	10 54	1 58			23												6 15	6 40	3 11	3 31	206
27	Tu	Battle of Talavera, 1809	4 17	6 14	7 53	11 19	3 20			24												7 2	7 30	3 56	4 18	207
28	W	Cowley died, 1667	4 19	6 13	7 51	11 58	4 55			25												7 55	8 25	4 46	5 11	208
29	Th	Sir C. Cresswell died, 1863	4 21	6 12	7 50	Morn.	6 11			26												8 0	9 40	5 41	5 16	209
30	F	W. Penn died, 1718	4 23	6 10	7 49	0 55	7 10			27												10 24	11 5	6 56	7 40	210
31	S	Gray died, 1771	4 24	6 8	7 47	2 9	7 51			28												11 44	—	8 21	9 6	211
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THE ILLUSTRATED LONDON ALMANACK FOR 1875.

LIST OF EMINENT PERSONS WHO HAVE DIED DURING THE LAST TWELVE MONTHS.

*Memoirs of all these, with the Arms and Portraits of some, are to be found in the
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AUGUST.

Kenmare, Countess.—21.
Winterhalter, F., Portrait Painter to
the Queen.—22.

SEPTEMBER.

Annaly, The Right Hon. Henry
White Lord.—3.

Belhaven and Stanton, The Right
Hon. Lady Hamilton.—8.
Chetwode, Sir John Newdegate Lud-
ford, fifth Baronet, of Chetwode,
Buckinghamshire.—8.

Clay, James, Esq., M.P. for Hull.—
26.

Cust, Colonel the Hon. Peregrine
Francis.—15.

Dalrymple, Donald, Dr., M.P. for
Bath.—19.

Fitzwygram, Sir Robert, third Baro-
net, of Walthamstow, Essex.—3.

Frederick, Sir Richard, sixth Baronet,
of Burwood House, Surrey.—20.

Garnett, William James, Esq., of
Quernmore Park, Lancashire, M.P.
for Lancaster.—15.

Grafton, Her Grace the Duchess
Dowager of.—10.

Hardwicke, The Right Hon. Charles
Philip Yorke, fourth Earl of,
D.C.L., F.R.S., &c.—17.

Hay, General Charles Craufurd
Ruse.—27.

Mackenzie, Sir Robert Ramsay, tenth
Baronet, of Cowl, Ross-shire.—19.

Godfrey, Sir William Duncan, third
Baronet, of Kilecoleman Abbey,
county of Kerry.—19.

Nélaton, Auguste, an eminent French
surgeon.—20.

Norreys, Caroline, Lady, of Wytham
Abbey, Oxford.—4.

Wilson, James H., of Onslow-square,
J.P., D.L., barrister-at-law.—6.

OCTOBER.

Calvert, E. Grace, M.D., a well-
known chemist.—24.

Candid, The Rev. Robert Smith,
D.D., an eminent Scotch divine.—
19.

Cox, Sir Francis Hawtrey, twelfth
Baronet, of Dunnmanway, Cork.—17.

Cunliffe, John Cunliffe Pickersgill,
Esq., of Hooley House, Coulsdon,
Surrey.—6.

Eden, Sir William, fourth Baronet
of Maryland and sixth Baronet of
West Auckland.—17.

Fitzball, Edward, Esq., a popular
song writer.—26.

Gatty, Margaret Scott, a well-known
writer of domestic and children's
tales.—8.

Holland, Sir Henry, Bart., of Sandle
Bridge, Chester, M.D., F.R.S.,
D.C.L., &c.—27.

Howden, the Right Hon. Sir John
Howard Caradoc, Lord.—8.

Landseer, Sir Edwin, R.A.—1.

Lees, Sir John Campbell, Knt.—17.

Strzelecki, Sir Edmund Paul de,
Count de Strzelecki, C.B., F.R.S.,
&c.—17.

Livingstone, Dr., the well-known
African traveller.—20.

McClure, Admiral Sir Robert John le
Mesurier, Knt., C.B., &c.—18.

Varley, Cornelius, Esq., a man of
science.—18.

Bright, Henry, Esq., a landscape
artist, of Ipswich.—18.

Ormerod, George, Esq., of Ledbury
Park, Gloucestershire, D.C.L.,
F.R.S., &c.—9.

Pollock, the Ven. William, D.D.,
Archdeacon of Chester, Vicar of
Bowden.—11.

Robinson, the Rev. Sir George Stamp,
seventh Baronet, of Cranford Hall,
Northamptonshire.—9.

Smith, Robert William, M.D., of
Dublin.—28.

Tyler, General Laurence, C.B.
Walker, Charles Arthur, Esq., of
Tykken, in the county of Wex-
ford, formerly M.P. for the
county.—29.

Wickens, the Hon. Sir John, Vice-
Chancellor.—23.

Williams-Freeman, William Peere,
Esq., of Pylewell Park, Hunts.—15.

NOVEMBER.

Baring, Thomas, Esq., M.P. for
Huntingdon, of Norman Court,
Southampton, &c.—18.

Bovill, the Right Hon. Sir William,
Lord Chief Justice of the Court of
Common Pleas, D.C.L., F.R.S.,
&c.—1.

Brownrigg, Sir Henry John, C.B.—25.
Cavendish, Lord Richard.—19.

Cool, Lord Thomas.—29.

Chandos-Pole, Edward Sacheverell,
Esq., of Radborne Hall, Derby-
shire.—30.

Charteris, the Hon. Alfred Walker,
Lieutenant, Coldstream Guards,
and Aide-de-Camp to General Sir
Garnet Wolseley.—24.

Corrancé, Frederick, Esq., of Parham
Hall, Suffolk, J.P. and D.L.—5.

De Metz, M., founder of the School
and Colony of Mettray, France.—5.

Dymoke, the Rev. John, of Servelsby,
in the county of Lincoln.—22.

Forbes, the Hon. Francis Reginald.—
5.

Hanbury Osgood, Esq., of Hollfield,
Grays, Essex.—4.

Hawinge, Sir Henry Charles, Bart.,
of Boundes Park, Kent.—13.

Hinton, the Rev. John Howard, an
eminent Nonconformist Minister.
Lennox, John George, Lord.—10.

Lisburne, the Right Hon. Ernest
Augustus Vaughan, Earl of.—9

Lyveden, the Right Hon. Sir Robert
Vernon, Lord, Northampton-
shire.—10.

Nichols, John Gough, Esq., F.S.A.,
a well-known antiquary.—14.

O'Grady, William de Courcy, of Kil-
ballyown, in the county of Lime-
rick.—25.

Parris, E. T., Esq., an artist of con-
siderable repute.—27.

Preston, Sir Henry Lindsay, Bart., of
Valleyfield, Perth.—25.

Price, Sir Frederick Pott, fourth
Bart., of Spring Grove, Surrey.—
15.

Stanhope, John Spencer, Esq. of
Cannon Hall, Yorkshire.—7.

Taylor, William, Esq., of Bunting-
dale, Shropshire.—5.

Wells, Lieutenant Lewis Fortescue,
R.N., late of H.M.S. Barracouta.—
23.

DECEMBER.

Agassiz, Louis Jean Rodolphe, an
eminent American natural philoso-
pher.

Atlumney, the Right Hon. Sir
William Meredith Somerville,
Lord.—7.

Bandon, the Right Hon. Catherine
Mary, Countess of.—15.

Berewy, Colonel William, Bart.—9.

Bradford, Mrs. Mary, of Taney
House, Dublin.—18.

Brockholes, Thomas Fitzherbert,
Esq., of Claugton Hall, Lancas-
ter.—21.

Codrington, Sir William Raimond,
fourth Baronet, of Dodrington,
Gloucestershire.—17.

Colquoun, Sir James, Bart., of Col-
quoun and Luss, in the county of
Dumbarton, formerly M.P. for the
county.—18.

Cowen, Sir Joseph, M.P., and Alder-
man of Newcastle-on-Tyne.—19.

Craigie, General Sir Patrick Edmin-
stone, K.C.B., &c.—13.

Digby, Charles Wiethesley, Esq., of
Meriden Hall, Warwickshire.—29.

Galgiani, T. A. M., proprietor of
the well-known *Galgiani's Mes-
senger*.

Glass, Sir Richard Atwood, of Moor-
lands Bitterne, Southampton.—22.

Gore - Langton, William Henry
Powell, Esq., of Newton Park,
Somerset, M.P. for West Somerset,
&c.—11.

Gordon, Admiral William,
Greig, Sir Hector, K.C.M.G., &c.—5.

McClintock, Colonel George Augustus
Jocelyn, of Fellows Hall, Armagh.—
24.

Norbury, the Right Hon. Hector
John Graham Tozer, third Earl of.—
23.

Philips, Mark, Esq., of Snitterfield
and Welcombe, Warwickshire, J.P.
and D.L.—23.

Pigot, the Right Hon. David Richard,
Lord Chief Baron of the Court of
Exchequer, Ireland.—22.

Piper, General Robert Sloper, an old
Peninsular officer.—26.

Roberts, General Sir Abraham, K.C.B.
—28.

Rose, the Hon. Sir George, F.R.S.,
&c.—3.

Stanhope, the Right Hon. Emily
Harriet, Countess of.—31.

Wilnott, Lieut. Fred. H. Eardley,
R.A., killed in the Ashantee War,
King, the Right Hon. Hester, Lady.—
17.

Winterbotham, Henry Selfe Page,
Esq., M.P. for Stroud, Under-
Secretary of State for the Home
Department, &c.—13.

Wormald, Thomas, Esq., of Epping
House, Hertford, F.R.C.S.—28

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JANUARY.

Bent, Major John.—23.

Black, Mr. Adam, a well-known pub-
lisher, of Edinburgh.—23.

Blackburne, John Ireland, Esq., M.A.,
of Orford and Hale, Lancaster, J.P.
and D.L.—27.

Blayney, the Right Hon. Cadwallader
Davis, twelfth Baron Monaghan,
in the Peerage of Ireland.—18.

Carew, George Henry Warrington,
Esq., of Cwomebe Court, Somerset.—
24.

Carew, Sir Walter Palk, eighth
Baronet, of Hancombe, Devon.

Chatterton, General Sir James
Charles, third Baronet, of Castle
Mallow, Cork.—5.

Cholmeley, Sir Montague John,
second Baronet, of Easton Hall,
Lincolnshire, M.P., &c.—18.

Colonsay, the Right Hon. Duncan
McNeil, Lord, L.L.D., &c.—31.

Decies, the Right Hon. Henry
Villiers Stuart, Lord Stuart de
Decies, of Dromana, in the county
of Waterford.—23.

De Clifford, the Right Hon. Sophia,
Baroness.—3.

De Ros, the Right Hon. William
Lennox Lascelles Fitzgerald, Lord.—
6.

Huyshe, Captain George Lightfoot,
of the Rifle Brigade.—19.

King, the Rev. Sir James Walker,
second Baronet, of Corrard, in the
county of Fermanagh, M.A., &c.—
25.

Loudoun, the Right Hon. Edith
Maud, Countess of.—23.

Nichol, Captain James, killed in
battle on the West Coast of Africa.
—31.

Oke, George Colwell, Esq., Chief
Clerk to the Lord Mayor of London.—
18.

Parera Rosa, Madame, an accom-
plished vocalist.—22.

Portarlington, the Right Hon. Alex-
andrina Octavia, Countess of.—15.

St. John, the Right Hon. Andrew
Beauchamp, fourteenth Lord.—27.

Schetky, John Christian, marine
painter to William IV.—29.

Walker, Sir Edward Samuel, of Berry
Hill, Notts.—15.

FEBRUARY.

Argyll, the Most Noble Anne Col-
quoun, Dowager Duchess of.—25.

Bingham, Emma Septima, Lady.—3.

Binney, the Rev. Dr., a Congre-
gational minister.—24.

Brooks, Shirley, Esq., Editor of
Punch.—23.

Buckingham and Chandos, the Most
Noble Caroline, Duchess of.—28.

Buckle, Captain Robert Nicolls,
R.E., killed on the battle-field of
Ashantee.—14.

Campbell, Sir George, fourth Baronet,
of Succoth, Dumbartonshire.—17.

Carter, Admiral Thomas Wren, C.B.,
&c.—6.

Cotton, Lieutenant-General Sir
Sydney John, G.C.B.—20.

Desart, the Right Hon. Catherine,
Countess of.—13.

Eyre, Lieutenant Arthur Hardolph,
killed in action on the West Coast
of Africa.—4.

Greenwood, John, Esq., of Swar-
cliffe Hall, Yorkshire, late M.P. for
Ripon.—21.

Hanmond Graeme, Sir Andrew Snape,
third Baronet, of Holly Grove,
Berks, Vice-Admiral, R.N.—21.

Holburne, Sir Thomas William, fifth
Baronet, of Menstrie, in the county
of Edinburgh.—17.

Howth, the Right Hon. Thomas,
third Earl of, and Viscount St.
Lawrence.—4.

Johnstone, the Right Hon. James,
Judge in Equity, Supreme Court of
Nova Scotia.

Le Marchant, General Sir John Gas-
pard, K.C.B., G.C.M.G., &c.—6.

Mussy, the Right Hon. Hugh Hamon
Ingoldsby, fifth Lord.—27.

Merevale, Herman, Esq., C.B.,
D.C.L., &c., Under-Secretary of
State for India.—6.

Milltown, the Right Hon. Barbara,
Countess Dowager of.—14.

Northesk, the Right Hon. Georgina
Maria, Countess of.—23.

Pye, John, Esq., a well-known land-
scape engraver.—6.

Rothschild, Baron Meyer Amschel de,
of Mentmore, Bucks, late M.P. for
Hythe, &c.—6.

Senhouse, Joseph Cockington, Esq.,
of Netherall, Cumberland.—17.

Smith, Sir Francis Petit, Knt., in-
ventor of the screw-propeller.—12.

Sudamore-Stanhope, Sir Edwyn
Francis, second Baronet, of Holme
Lacy, Hereford, R.N.—8.

Stapleton, the Hon. and Rev. Sir
Francis Jervis, M.A., seventh
Baronet.—11.

MARCH.

Ball, Samuel, Esq., of Sion House,
Wolverley, Worcestershire.

Ball, Sir William Keith, second
Baronet, of Blofield, Norfolk.—9.

Blake, Captain William Hans, R.N.
(on the West Coast of Africa).—27.

Boakin, Sir William Henry, late As-
sistant Judge of the Middlesex
Sessions.—26.

Chetham-Strode, Captain Augustus,
R.N., C.B., &c.—10.

Downshire, the Most Hon. Arthur
Wills Blundell Trumbull Sandys,
fifth Marquis of.—31.

Elliott, Colonel Sir William Henry,
G.C.B., K.H., &c.—27.

Finch, Charles Wynne, Esq., of
Vocus, Denbighshire.—3.

Fitzwilliam, the Hon. George Went-
worth, of Milton House, North-
amptonshire.—4.

Morson, Thomas, Esq., a successful
practical chemist.

Page-Turner, Sir Edward Henry,
sixth Baronet, of Ambrosden,
Oxford.—24.

Radstock, the Right Hon. Esther
Caroline, Dowager Lady.—16.

Charteris, Lieut.-Colonel the Hon.
Richard, of Cahir, in the county of
Tipperary.

Richmond, the Most Noble Caroline,
Dowager Duchess of.—12.

Rossmore, the Right Hon. Henry
Cairns Westenra, fourth Lord.—28.

Thompson, Captain Herbert W., of
the Queen's Bays (on the West Coast
of Africa).

Way, Albert, Esq., M.A., F.S.A., of
Wyonham Manor, Surrey.—22.

APRIL.

Clanricarde, the Most Hon. Ulick
John de Burgh, Marquis of.—10.

Dunfermline, the Right Hon. Mary
Eliza, Baroness.—10.

Ellenborough, the Right Hon. Isabella
Lady.—22.

Jones, Owen, an eminent architectural
designer and author.—25.

Kaulbach, William von, late director
of the Munich Academy of Painting,
&c.—25.

Kenyon, the Right Hon. Georgina,
Lady.—22.

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Kingsale, the Right Hon. Michael Conrad de Courcy, thirteenth Lord.—15.

Leeds, the Most Noble Louisa Catherine, Dowager Duchess of.—15.

Lennox, Lord Sussex.—16.

Lucas, John, Esq., a well-known portrait-painter.—25.

Maxwell, Lieutenant-Colonel James, on the west coast of Africa.—25.

Morrill, William John Sawrey, Esq., of Rokeby Park, Yorkshire, formerly M.P. for the North Riding.—18.

Oglander, Sir Henry, seventh Bart., of Minwell, Isle of Wight.—8.

Patteson, the Right Rev. John Coleridge, Bishop-Missionary to the South Sea Islands.—10.

Phillips, Professor John, F.R.S., an eminent geologist, &c.—25.

St. John Butler, Marianne Jane, of Portrane and Walchestown, Dublin. 16.

Thurlow, the Right Hon. Edward Thomas Hovell, fourth Lord.—22.

MAY.

Beckett, Sir Edmund, fourth Baronet, of Soverby Park, Lincoln, J.P. and D.L., formerly M.P. for the West Riding.—24.

Cornwallis, Lady Elizabeth.—11.

Currie, Vice-Admiral Mark John.—1.

Digby, the Right Hon. Theresa Anna Maria, Baroness.—2.

Higgins, Colonel George Gore Ouseley, formerly M.P. for Mayo.—8.

Kemp, the Rev. Sir William Robert, tenth Baronet, of Gissing Hall, Norfolk.—29.

Maepherson, Major-Gen. Sir James Duncan, K.C.B.—29.

Mascerene and Ferrard, the Right Hon. Olivia Deane, Dowager Viscountess of.—10.

Meysey-Thompson, Sir Harry Stephen, Bart., of Kirby Hall, Yorkshire.—17.

Parker, H. P., Esq., a well-known artist and founder of the School of Design, Sheffield.—9.

Reeve, De la Pole, Sir John George, eighth Baronet, of Shute, Devon, J.P. and D.L.—19.

Ross, Sir Thomas, Knt., of Dardis-ton Castle, in the county of Meath.—23.

Therry, Sir Roger, formerly Judge of the Supreme Court of New South Wales.—17.

Van de Weyer, M. Sylvain, formerly Belgian Minister in London.—21.

Wilson, Lieutenant-General Sir Archdale, Baronet of Delhi, G.C.B., &c.—9.

JUNE.

Addison, Thomas Batty, Esq., Recorder of Preston and Constable of Lancaster Castle.—6.

Anglesey, the Most Hon. Ellen Jane, Dowager Marchioness of.—2.

Armstrong, Major-General John, C.B.—28.

Concha, Marshal Don Manuel Gutierrez de la Marquis del Duero, Commander-in-Chief of the National Government Army, Spain.—27.

Egerton, Major-General Caledon Richard.

Fox, Sir Charles, an eminent engineer, builder of the Exhibition building of 1851.—6.

Glynne, Sir Stephen Richard, ninth Baronet, of Hawarden Castle, Flint, formerly M.P. for Flintshire.—17.

Harding, the Right Rev. John, D.D., late Bishop of Bombay.—18.

Hastings, the Right Hon. Frances Diana, Dowager Lady.—1.

Heytesbury, the Right Hon. Elizabeth, Baroness.—30.

Janin, Jules Gabriel, a popular French journalist and novelist.—8.

Martens, Sir William, Knight, formerly Gentleman Usher to the Queen.—5.

BRITISH SHIPPING.—The number of registered vessels on the registry of the British Empire at the close of the year 1873 was 36,825, with an aggregate tonnage of 7,294,230 tons, and manned by 330,849 men. The numbers were constituted as follow:—United Kingdom, 24,873 vessels of 5,736,368 tons; Channel Islands, 688 vessels of 68,794 tons; British Plantations, 11,264 vessels of 1,489,068 tons. The number of ships is eleven fewer than in the preceding year; but the tonnage shows an increase of 80,401 tons, and there are 1444 more men.

Murray, Lord James Charles Plantagenet, Groom in Waiting to the Queen.—3.

Nugent, Sir Percy, Baronet, of Donore, in the county of Westmeath.—25.

Palagonia Grifeo, Maude Mary, Princess.—2.

Pollock, Sir Frederick Montagu, second Baronet, late of the Bengal Engineers.—17.

Staunton, Howard, Esq., an accomplished scholar and master of the science of chessplaying.—22.

Thomson, Colonel Edward, C.S.I., of Indian army, &c.—20.

Wolseley, Sir Richard John, sixth Baronet of Mount Wolseley, in the county of Carlow, J.P. and D.L.—20.

JULY.

Beke, Dr. Charles Tilstone, F.R.G.S., &c., a traveller and explorer.—31.

Brewster, the Right Hon. Abraham, ex-Lord Chancellor of Ireland.—26.

Christie, William Dougal, Esq., C.B., a distinguished diplomatist and writer.—27.

Dalhousie, the Right Hon. Fox Maule Ramsay, eleventh Earl of, second Lord Panmure.—6.

Dunne, Major-General the Right Hon. Francis Plunkett, formerly M.P. for Portarlington.—6.

Hutchinson, Colonel the Hon. Henry Hely, of Weston, Northamptonshire.—2.

Jackson, Sir Charles Robert Mitchell, late Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court, Bombay.—25.

Jerningham, the Hon. Wm. Stafford, formerly one of her Majesty's Ambassadors, &c.—16.

Musgrave, Sir Richard, Bart., of Tourin, in the county of Waterford.—8.

Scott, Sir Claude Edward, third Baronet, of Lytchet, Minster, Dorset.—27.

Strickland, Miss Agnes, an accomplished authoress.—13.

Williams, Lieutenant-General Lewis Duncan.—31.

Wiseman, Sir William Salterton, eighth Baronet, of Canfield Hall, Suffolk.—14.

AUGUST.

Annesley, the Right Hon. William Richard, fourth Earl of.—10.

Challis, Thomas, Esq., senior member of the Court of Aldermen, London.—20.

Dallas, Sir Robert Charles, second Baronet, of Petsal, Staffordshire.—1.

Egmont, the Right Hon. Sir George James Perceval, sixth Earl of.—2.

Fairburn, Sir William, Bart., of Ardwick, Manchester, F.R.S., LL.D., &c., a distinguished engineer.—18.

Foley, John H., Esq., R.A., an eminent sculptor.—27.

Kemp, Sir Thomas John, eleventh Baronet, of Gissing.—7.

Lane-Fox, Sackville Walter, Esq., formerly M.P. for Beverley and Ipswich.—18.

Lindsay, Lieutenant-General the Hon. Sir James, K.C.M.G., Military Secretary to H.R.H. the Duke of Cambridge.—13.

Perry, Sir William, late H.M. Consul-General at Venice.—24.

Russell, Lady William.—10.

Seymour-Wedderburn, Frederick Lewis, Esq., of Wedderburn, in the county of Forfar, J.P. and D.L.—16.

Summer, the Right Rev. Charles Richard, D.D., retired Bishop of Winchester.—15.

Tombs, Major-General Sir Henry, K.C.B., V.C., &c.—2.

Walsham, Sir John James, Bart., of Knill Court, Herefordshire.—10.

LIST OF PERSONS WHO HAVE DIED LEAVING

FORTUNES EXCEEDING A QUARTER OF A MILLION.

(From the "Illustrated London News" Weekly Report of Wills and Bequests.)

Alfred A. Pollock, late of Heathfield, Hampstead-heath, Sept. 10 400,000

H. Wheeler, Esq., late of Bolingbroke House, Wandsworth, Sept. 18 350,000

Francis Cesar Brauna, Esq., of Holly Lodge, West Derby, Sept. 25 300,000

Sir R. Fitzwygram, Bart., of Connaught-place, Hyde Park, Oct. 16 250,000

Lord Marjoribanks, of Ladykirk, Oct. 18 300,000

Valentine O'Brien O'Connor, of Dublin, Nov. 4 300,000

Alexander Findlater, Esq., of the Slopes, Kingstown 350,000

James Blyth, Esq., of Woolhampton House, Berks, Dec. 3 250,000

George Crawshaw, Esq., late of Colney Hatch, Dec. 11 500,000

T. Baring, Esq., of Norman Court, Southampton, &c., Dec. 18 1,500,000

James Heald, late of Paris Wood, Didsbury, Lancashire, Dec. 15 350,000

A. J. P. Périer, late banker of Paris, proved in London, Dec. 15, f.s. 750,000

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Lord Lyveden, late of Farning Wood, Northampton, Jan. 6 250,000

Mark Phillips, late of Welcombe, Warwickshire, Feb. 10 400,000

Peter Robinson, late of Womersley House, Hornsey, and of Oxford-street, March 19 350,000

William John Turner Clarke, late of Victoria, New South Wales, April, £1,500,000, his various properties in Victoria, South Australia, and New Zealand amounting in the aggregate to 3,500,000

Edward Byley Langworthy, Esq., late of Victoria Park, Manchester, June 4 1,200,000

The stamp duty paid on the probate amounted to £16,500.

W. Dunville, Esq., late of South Warren, Kingston, Surrey, July 3 250,000

Sir William Martins, late of Hyde Park-gardens, July 29 350,000

Henry Metcalfe Ames, Esq., late of Linden, near Morpeth, June 27 250,000

Sir Edmund Becket, Bart., late of Doncaster, Aug. 24 300,000

SCHOOL BOARD FOR LONDON.

Elected Nov. 27, 1873. Chairman, Sir Charles Reed; Vice-Chairman, E. H. Currie; Clerk, G. H. Croad.

CITY OF LONDON.—Cotton, Mr. Alderman; Gregory, Rev. Canon; Peek, F.; Morley, Samuel, M.P.

CHELSEA.—Gladstone, Dr.; Freeman, R.; Cromwell, Rev. Canon; Read, Rev. C. D.

FINSBURY.—Tabrum, Edward J.; Rodgers, Rev. J., M.A.; Clarke, T.; Chatfield, Maguire, Rev. R.; Lueratt, Benjamin; Lovell, C. H.

GREENWICH.—Legge, Hon. and Rev. A.; Gover, H.; Macgregor, John; Waugh, Rev. Benjamin, F.G.S.

HACKNEY.—Stephenson, Rev. T. B., B.A.; Foster, R.; Filkinson Rev. J. G.; Picton, J. A., M.A.; Reed, Sir C.

LAMBETH.—Daniel, Rev. Evan; Morgan, W. F.; Heller, T. E.; Murphy, Rev. G. M.; Stiff, James.

MARYLEBONE.—Mills, Alfred; Irons, Rev. Dr.; Bevan, Rev. L.; Watson, James; Chesser, Miss; Heal, J. H.; Cowell, Mrs.

SOUTHWAKE.—Martin, Rev. R. M.; Latone, Alfred; Sinclair, Rev. J.; Wallace, James.

TOWER HAMLETS.—Currie, Edmund H.; Bardsley, Rev. J.; Buxton, E. North; Scrutton, Thomas; Langdale, Arthur.

WESTMINSTER.—Smith, W. H., M.P.; Potter, George; Riggs, Rev. J. H., D.L.; Napier and Ettrick, Lord; Barry, Rev. Alfred, D.D.

Statistical Clerk—Mr. C. W. Isitt.

Accountant—Mr. G. Attenborough. Minuting Clerk—Mr. G. H. Brantley. Clerk of School Management Committee—Mr. W. H. Nixon.

Clerk of the Industrial Schools and By-Laws Committees—Mr. J. C. Whidington. Clerk of the Works and General Purposes Committee—Mr. G. C. Harcourt.

INCREMENT OF POPULATION.

The following table represents accurately the increase in the commerce and population of the Christian world during the last seventeen years. It is of great interest on account of its bearing upon the questions whether the population multiplies too fast for the good of the race, and whether the general comfort of the individual is being increased or decreased:—

	FOREIGN COMMERCE.	POPULATION.
	1855.	1872.
Great Britain	£208,400,000	£600,600,000
France	150,300,000	285,800,000
United States	107,310,000	232,800,000
Belgium	69,000,000	193,800,000
Germany, imp'ts only	53,200,000	100,000,000
Austria	26,000,000	59,400,000
Russia in Europe	45,400,000	103,000,000
Italy	32,200,000	103,600,000
Spain	32,500,000	27,5,000
Netherlands	54,000,000	85,000,000
Sweden	9,000,000	14,600,000
Total	£348,310,000	£1,855,200,000
Increase in seventeen years (commerce)	...	271,443,000
Increase in seventeen years population	...	311,620,000
Foreign commerce in 1855 per head of population	118.5	118.5 per cent.
Foreign commerce in 1872 per head of population	£3.13	1.48 per cent.
Foreign commerce in 1872 per head of population	£5.95	90 per cent.

The most striking deduction to be made from this table is not the great increase of commerce, but the fact that in seventeen years the amount for each individual has nearly doubled. There has been a slow growth in the number of the people, but a very rapid growth in the commerce. Commerce is an index of wealth, and increase of wealth means, in the highest degree, augmentation of physical comforts and well-being.

THE POPULATION OF FRANCE.—France contained in 1872 35,362,253 citizens and 740,668 foreigners. The former consisted of 30,676,943 natives of the departments in which they resided, 4,543,761 persons who had removed from one department to another, 123,213 Alsatians and Lorraines who had elected to continue French subjects, and 15,303 naturalised foreigners. The foreigners comprised 347,558 Belgians, 112,579 Italians, 61,808 Alsatians and Lorraines who had accepted German nationality, 52,954 Spaniards, 52,950 Russians, 42,834 Poles, 42,830 Swiss, 39,361 Germans, 26,003 English, 17,077 Dutch, 7,328 Scandinavians, 6,859 Americans, 5,116 Austrians and Hungarians, 3,843 Asiatics, 1,173 Turks, Greeks, &c., and 9826 persons from other countries.

AUGUST.



YELLOW-HAMMER.

D. OF M.	D. OF W.	ANNIVERSARIES, FESTIVALS, OCCURRENCES, ETC.	SUN.						MOON.						DURATION OF MOONLIGHT.												HIGH WATER AT				Day of Year.							
			Rises.			Souths after Noon.			Sets.			Rises.			Sets. Morn.			Sets. Aftern.			Before Sunrise.				Moon's Age.				After Sunset.				Morn.	Aftern.	Morn.	Aftern.		
			M.	M.	S.	H.	M.	S.	H.	M.	S.	H.	M.	S.	H.	M.	S.	H.	S.	0	1	2	3	4	8	9	10	11	12	O'Clock.	O'Clock.	Morn.	Aftern.					
1	W	10TH SUND. AFT. TRINITY	4	25	6	5	7	46	3	37	8	16								○														1 22	1 50	10 38	11 6	213
2	M	Battle of the Nile, 1798	4	26	6	1	7	44	5	5	8	36								1														2 15	2 38	11 31	11 54	214
3	Tu	Bank of England founded, 1732	4	28	5	57	7	42	6	30	8	51								2														3 0	3 21	—	0 16	215
4	W	Length of day, 15h. 11m.	4	30	5	52	7	41	7	50	9	3							3														3 42	4 2	0 37	0 58	216	
5	Th	Lord Howe died, 1799	4	31	5	47	7	40	9	6	9	14							4														4 22	4 41	1 18	1 38	217	
6	F	Duke of Edinburgh born, 1844	4	33	5	41	7	38	10	21	9	25							5														5 0	5 16	1 57	2 16	218	
7	S	Queen Caroline died, 1821	4	35	5	34	7	36	11	34	9	36							6														5 32	5 50	2 32	2 48	219	
8	S	11TH SUND. AFT. TRINITY	4	36	5	27	7	34	Aftern.	9 50									7														6 7	6 25	3 6	3 23	220	
9	M	Greenwich Observatory commenced, 1675	4	38	5	19	7	32	2	3	10	7							8														6 43	7 3	3 41	3 59	221	
10	Tu	St. Lawrence	4	40	5	11	7	31	3	16	10	30							9														7 25	7 51	4 19	4 41	222	
11	W	Dog Days end	4	41	5	2	7	29	4	24	11	4							10														8 22	8 57	5 7	5 38	223	
12	Th	Grouse-shooting begins	4	42	4	52	7	27	5	27	11	49							11														9 40	10 25	6 13	6 56	224	
13	F	Old Lammas Day	4	44	4	42	7	25	6	16	Morn.								12														11 5	11 42	7 41	8 21	225	
14	S	Prince Albert of Prussia born, 1842	4	45	4	31	7	23	6	53	0	52							13														—	0 14	8 58	9 30	226	
15	S	12TH SUND. AFT. TRINITY	4	46	4	20	7	21	7	20	2	3							14														0 43	1 9	9 59	10 25	227	
16	M	Gaslights first introduced, 1807	4	47	4	8	7	19	7	39	3	23							15														1 31	1 51	10 47	11 6	228	
17	Tu	Frederick the Great died, 1786	4	49	3	55	7	17	7	55	4	44							16														2 10	2 29	11 26	11 45	229	
18	W	Beattie died, 1803	4	51	3	43	7	15	8	5	6	8							17														2 47	3 5	—	0 3	230	
19	Th	Earl Russell born, 1792	4	52	3	29	7	13	8	17	7	31							18														3 20	3 37	0 21	0 36	231	
20	F	Battle of Saragossa, 1810	4	53	3	15	7	11	8	30	8	53							19														3 55	4 13	0 53	1 11	232	
21	S	Blackcock-shooting begins	4	55	3	1	7	9	8	44	10	16							20														4 32	4 50	1 39	1 48	233	
22	S	13TH SUND. AFT. TRINITY	4	57	2	46	7	7	9	0	11	42							21														5 7	5 26	2 6	2 23	234	
23	M	Length of day, 14h. 6m.	4	59	2	31	7	5	9	24	Aftern.								22														5 45	6 8	2 42	3 1	235	
24	Tu	St. Bartholomew	5	1	2	15	7	3	9	56	3 42								23														6 31	6 55	3 24	3 47	236	
25	W	David Hume died, 1776	5	2	1	59	7	1	10	44	4	0							24														7 25	8 0	4 11	4 41	237	
26	Th	Sir R. Walpole born, 1676	5	3	1	43	6	59	11	52	5	4							25														8 37	9 23	5 16	5 53	238	
27	F	Thomson (poet) died, 1748	5	5	1	26	6	57	Morn.	5	48								26														10 16	11 8	6 39	7 32	239	
28	S	St. Augustine	5	7	1	9	6	55	1	13	6	19							27														11 48	—	8 24	9 4	240	
29	S	14TH SUND. AFT. TRINITY	5	8	0	52	6	53	2	41	6	41							28														0 22	0 52	9 38	10 8	241	
30	M	Length of night, 10h. 19m.	5	10	0	34	6	51	4	6	6	56							○														1 19	1 43	10 35	10 59	242	
31	Tu	John Bunyan died, 1688	5	12	0	16	6	49	5	28	7	10							1														2 5	2 25	11 21	11 41	243	



"THE DAWN OF LOVE."—BY H. B. ROBERTS.—FROM "THE ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS."

THE ILLUSTRATED LONDON ALMANACK FOR 1875.

PUBLIC ACTS OF PARLIAMENT PASSED IN 1874,

IN THE 37TH AND 38TH YEARS OF HER MAJESTY'S REIGN.

1. An Act to apply the sum of £1,422,797 14s. 6d. out of the Consolidated Fund to the service of the years ending March 31, 1873 and 1874.

2. An Act to apply the sum of £7,000,000 out of the Consolidated Fund to the service of the year ending March 31, 1875.

3. An Act to enable the Secretary of State in Council of India to raise money in the United Kingdom for the service of the Government of India.

4. An Act for punishing mutiny and desertion, and for the better payment of the Army and their quarters.

5. An Act for the better regulation of her Majesty's marine forces while on shore.

6. An Act to amend the Acts relating to cattle disease in Ireland.

7. An Act to amend the law respecting the payment of the Assistant Judge of the Court of the Sessions of the Peace for the county of Middlesex and his deputy, and the chairman of the second court at such sessions.

8. An Act providing for the taking of harbour dues in the Isle of Man.

9. An Act to authorise an advance out of the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom to the Public Works Loan Commissioners for enabling them to make loans to school boards in pursuance of the Elementary Education Act, 1873.

10. An Act to apply the sum of £13,000,000 out of the Consolidated Fund to the service of the year ending March 31, 1875.

11. An Act for altering the shooting season for grouse and certain other game birds in Ireland.

12. An Act providing for the transfer of the assets and liabilities of the Bengal and Madras Civil Service Annuity Fund and the annuity branch of the Bombay Civil Fund to the Secretary of State for India in Council.

13. An Act to extend to the present Bishop of Calcutta the regulations made by her Majesty as to the leave of absence of Indian Bishops.

14. An Act to render valid marriages heretofore solemnised in the chapel of ease called St. Paul's Church, at Pooley Bridge, in the parish of Burton, in the county of Westmorland.

15. An Act to amend the Act of the sixteenth and seventeenth Victoria, cap. 119, intituled "An Act for the Suppression of Betting Houses."

16. An Act to grant certain duties of Customs and Inland Revenue, to repeal and alter other duties, and to amend the laws relating to Customs and Inland Revenue.

17. An Act to render valid marriages heretofore solemnised in the chapel of ease, called St. John the Evangelist, at Bentley in the parish of Shustock, in the county of Warwick.

18. An Act to appoint additional Commissioners for executing the Acts for granting a land tax and other rates and taxes.

19. An Act to amend the Stamp Act, 1870, in regard to the stamp duty payable by advocates in Scotland on admission as barristers in England or Ireland, and by barristers in England or Ireland on admission as advocates in Scotland.

20. An Act to provide for the exemption of churches and chapels in Scotland from local rates and assessment.

21. An Act for the discontinuance of the four Courts Marshalsea (Dublin) and the removal of prisoners therefrom.

22. An Act to relieve revenue officers from all electoral disabilities.

23. An Act to amend the Acts regulating the salaries of resident magistrates in Ireland, and the salaries of the Chief Commissioner and Assistant Commissioner of Police of the police district of Dublin metropolis.

24. An Act to empower the Public Works Loan Commissioners to advance a sum of money by way of loan for the improvement of the harbour of Colombo, in the colony of Ceylon.

25. An Act to remove the restrictions contained in the British White Herring Fishery Acts in regard to the use of fir wood for herring barrels.

26. An Act to make provision respecting the Stamp Duty on transfers of stock of the Government of Canada.

27. An Act to regulate the sentences imposed by Colonial Courts where jurisdiction to try is conferred by Imperial Acts.

28. An Act to further amend the law relating to juries in Ireland.

29. An Act to amend the law relating to the Militia.

30. An Act to transfer parts of the Holyhead Old Harbour Road from the Board of Trade to the Local Board of Health of the town of Holyhead, and for other purposes.

31. An Act to amend the Conjugal Rights (Scotland) Amendment Act, 1861.

32. An Act to amend the Drainage and Improvement of Lands Act (Ireland), 1863.

33. An Act to extend the powers of the Leases and Sales of Settled Estates Act.

34. An Act to amend the Act of the fifty-fifth year of King George III, c. 194, intituled "An Act for better Regulating the Practice of Apothecaries in England and Wales."

35. An Act for further promoting the revision of the Statute Law by repealing certain enactments which have ceased to be in force or have become unnecessary.

36. An Act to render personation, with intent to deprive any person of real estate or other property, felony.

37. An Act to alter and amend the law as to appointments under powers not exclusive.

38. An Act to extend the jurisdiction of courts of the colony of the Straits Settlements to certain crimes and offences committed out of the colony.

39. An Act to provide for the exception of the borough of Westlock from the category of boroughs under the Elementary Education Act, 1873.

40. An Act to amend the powers of the Board of Trade with respect to inquiries, arbitrations, appointments, and other matters under special Acts, and to amend the Regulation of Railways Act, 1873, so far as regards the reference of differences to the Railway Commissioners in lieu of arbitrators.

41. An Act to amend the Colonial Attorneys Relief Act.

42. An Act to consolidate and amend the laws relating to building societies.

43. An Act to amend the Alkali Act, 1863.

44. An Act to make better provision for improving the health of women, young persons, and children employed in manufactures, and the education of such children, and otherwise to amend the Factory Acts.

45. An Act for altering the boundaries between the liberty of St. Albans and the rest of the county of Hertford, and for making better provision for the transaction of county business and the administration of justice at quarter sessions in that county.

46. An Act to consolidate and amend the duties of customs in the Isle of Man.

47. An Act to extend the powers of prison authorities in relation to industrial and reformatory schools, and for other purposes relating thereto.

48. An Act to provide for the payment of wages without stoppages in the hosiery manufacture.

49. An Act to amend the laws relating to the sale and consumption of intoxicating liquors.

50. An Act to amend the Married Women's Property Act (1870).

51. An Act to amend the law respecting the proving and sale of chain-cables and anchors.

52. An Act to make regulations for preventing collisions in the sea channels leading to the river Mersey.

53. An Act to amend the laws relating to the payment of revising barristers.

54. An Act to amend the law respecting the liability and valuation of certain property for the purpose of rates.

55. An Act for dissolving Magdalen Hall, in the University of Oxford, and for incorporating the Principal, Fellows, and scholars of Hertford College; and for vesting in such college the lands and other property now held in trust for the benefit of Magdalen Hall.

56. An Act to apply a sum out of the Consolidated Fund to the service of the year ending March 31, 1875, and to appropriate the supplies granted in this Session of Parliament.

57. An Act for the further limitation of actions and suits relating to real property.

58. An Act to make further provision respecting the contribution out of moneys provided by Parliament towards the expenses of the police force in the metropolitan police district and elsewhere in Great Britain.

59. An Act to facilitate the erection of dwellings for working men on land belonging to municipal corporations.

60. An Act to amend and enlarge the powers of the Acts relating to the navigation of the river Shannon, and for the purposes relating thereto.

61. An Act for granting compensation to officers of the Royal (late Indian) Ordnance Corps.

62. An Act to amend the law as to the contracts of infants.

63. An Act to facilitate the rearrangement of the boundaries of archdeaconries and rural deaneries.

64. An Act to further alter and amend the law of evidence in Scotland, and to provide for the recording, by means of shorthand writing, of evidence in civil causes in sheriffs' courts in Scotland.

65. An Act to enable her Majesty to provide for the support and maintenance of H.R.H. Prince Leopold George Duncan Albert on his coming of age.

66. An Act to enlarge the jurisdiction of the civil bill courts in Ireland in respect to the recovery of balances due on partnership accounts, and in respect of actions involving questions of title to corporeal and incorporeal hereditaments.

67. An Act to regulate and otherwise deal with slaughter-houses and certain other businesses in the metropolis.

68. An Act to amend the law relating to attorneys and solicitors.

69. An Act to amend the laws relating to the sale and consumption of intoxicating liquors in Ireland.

70. An Act to amend the law relating to the valuation of rateable property in Ireland.

71. An Act to authorise the Lough Corrib Navigation Trustees to dispose of part of the navigation in the district of Loughs Corrib, Mask, and Curra.

72. An Act to explain and amend the Fines Act (Ireland), 1851, and for other purposes relating thereto.

73. An Act to amend the law relating to the payment to and repayment by the Commissioners for the reduction of the National Debt of moneys received in and to the accounts relating to the post-office savings banks.

74. An Act to amend the law respecting certain receipts and expenses connected with private lunatic asylums in Ireland.

75. An Act to explain the Vaccination Act, 1871.

76. An Act to continue various expiring laws.

77. An Act respecting colonial and certain other clergy.

78. An Act to amend the law of vendor and purchaser and further to simplify title to land.

79. An Act for the better management and regulation of Foyle College, in the city of Londonderry, and for vesting in the governing body of such college the present school-house and premises belonging to such college, and for vesting the right of appointment of head master of such college in the Bishop of Derry and Raphoe and the governor of the Irish Society.

80. An Act to amend the laws relating to the Royal Irish Constabulary and the police of the police district of Dublin metropolis.

81. An Act to provide for the abolition of certain offices connected with the Great Seal, and to make better provision respecting the office of the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery.

82. An Act to alter and amend the laws relating to the appointment of ministers to parishes in Scotland.

83. An Act for delaying the coming into operation of the Supreme Court of Judicature Act, 1873.

84. An Act to regulate the incorporation of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Works and Public Buildings, and for purposes relating thereto.

85. An Act for the better administration of the laws respecting the regulation of public worship.

86. An Act to amend the law relating to the Irish Reproductive Loan Fund.

87. An Act to amend the Endowed Schools Acts.

88. An Act to amend the law relating to the registration of births and deaths in England, and to consolidate the law respecting the registration of births and deaths at sea.

89. An Act to amend and extend the sanitary laws.

90. An Act to declare the validity of orders of the Education Department with respect to united school districts and to make better provision with respect to such orders.

91. An Act to amend the law relating to the council of the Governor-General of India.

92. An Act to provide for the transfer to the Admiralty and the Secretary of State for the War Department of Alderney Harbour and certain lands near it.

93. An Act to amend the law relating to public health in Ireland.

94. An Act to amend the law relating to land rights and conveyancing and to facilitate the transfer of land in Scotland.

95. An Act to continue certain turnpike Acts in Great Britain, and to repeal certain other turnpike Acts, and for purposes connected therewith.

96. An Act for further promoting the revision of the statute law by repealing certain enactments which have ceased to be in force or have become unnecessary.



SUMMER TIME.

LEIGHTON, BROS

THE ILLUSTRATED LONDON ALMANACK FOR 1875.

AN ACCOUNT OF THE GROSS PUBLIC INCOME OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF
GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND

In the Year ended June 30, 1874, and of the actual Issues within the same Period, exclusive of Sum's applied to the Redemption of Funded or Paying off Unfunded Debt, and of the Advances and Repayments for Local Works, &c.

INCOME.							EXPENDITURE.							
					£	s. d.				£	s. d.		£	s. d.
Customs	20,052,000	0 0	Interest and Management of the Permanent Debt	21,926,918	1 4			
Excise	..	..	..	..	27,215,000	0 0	Terminable Annuities	..	..	4,587,044	15 2	26,649,535	12 7
Stamps	..	..	..	..	10,619,000	0 0	Interest of Exchequer Bills	..	..	132,076	18 8		
Land Tax and House Duty	..	..	..	..	2,375,000	0 0	Interest of Bank Advances for Deficiency	..	..	3,495	17 5		
Property and Income Tax	..	..	..	..	5,594,000	0 0	CHARGES ON CONSOLIDATED FUND.						
Post Office	..	..	..	..	5,962,000	0 0	Civil List	..	..	406,552	13 4		
Telegraph Service	..	..	..	..	1,410,000	0 0	Annuities and Pensions	..	..	309,611	1 7		
Crown Lands (net)	..	..	..	..	378,000	0 0	Salaries and Allowances	..	..	99,720	9 10	1,575,691	4 7
Miscellaneous:—							Courts of Justice	..	..	632,674	16 9		
Military and Naval extra Receipts and proceeds of Old Stores sold	..	..	..	..	900,428	17 9	Miscellaneous Charges	..	..	127,622	3 1		
Amount received from the Revenues of India on account of the Effective and Non-Effective Charges of British Troops serving in that Country							SUPPLY SERVICES.							
Allowance out of Profits of Issue, received from the Bank of England, per Act 24 Vict. c. 3	..	..	..	..	845,000	0 0	Army	..	..	14,376,100	0 0		
Other Miscellaneous Receipts	..	..	..	..	1,838,057	1 3	Army Purchase Commission	..	..	627,800	0 0		
Total Income	..	..	..	..	77,327,063	19 0	Navy	..	..	10,554,725	0 0		
							Miscellaneous Civil Services	..	..	11,357,424	11 4		
							Ashantees Expedition—Vote of Credit	..	..	800,000	0 0		
							Alabama Claims	..	..	936,874	15 10	46,749,664	19 3
							Customs and Inland Revenue Departments	..	..	2,704,345	4 11		
							Post Office	..	..	2,785,869	9 10		
							Telegraph Service	..	..	1,162,935	17 8		
							Packet Service	..	..	1,383,469	19 10		
							Fortifications and Localisation of Military Forces	..	..	500,000	0 0		
							Total Expenditure	..	..	75,474,891	16 5		
							Excess of Income over Ordinary Expenditure in the year ended June 30, 1874	..	..	..	..	1,852,172	2 7
													77,327,063	19 0

AN ACCOUNT OF THE BALANCES OF THE PUBLIC MONEY

Remaining in the Exchequer on July 1, 1873; the Amount of Money raised by Additions to the Funded or Unfunded Debt, and the Amount applied towards the Redemption of Funded or Paying-off Unfunded Debt in the Year ended June 30, 1874; the Total Amount of Advances and Repayments on account of Local Works, &c., in the same Period; and the Balances in the Exchequer on June 30, 1874.

Balances in the Exchequer on July 1, 1873:					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
At the Bank of England	..	..	5,851,744	2	10	1					2,946,134	14	1
At the Bank of Ireland	..	..	1,196,188	5	2	1	7,047,942	8	0				
Money raised in the year ended June 30, 1874:													
By the creation of Terminable Annuities, as under, viz.:													
To provide for the Expenses of constructing certain Fortifications	..	..	250,000	0	0								
For Localisation of the Military Forces	..	..	..	..	..	..	500,000	0	0				
..	..	..	2,000	0	0								
Repayments on Account of Advances for the Purchase of Bullion, and for Local Works, &c.	..	..	2,924,424	13	6								
Repayments on account of Advances for Greenwich Hospital	..	..	..	..	..	..	137,497	3	11				
Excess of Income over Total Expenditure in the year ended June 30, 1874	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,852,172	2	7				
							£11,762,026	8	0				
Issued to the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt, to be applied to the Redemption of the Public Debt					..	..	..			
Deduct amount applied in repayment of Bank Advances for Deficiency					..	..	..	300,000	0	0			
Exchequer Bills, paid off in Money					..	..	..				282,800	0	0
Advances for Purchase of Ballion, and for Local Works, &c.											3,380,715	6	7
Advances for Greenwich Hospital					..	..	..				137,497	3	11
Balances in the Exchequer on June 30, 1874:													
At the Bank of England					..	..	..	4,554,331	19	6			
At the Bank of Ireland					..	..	..	760,547	3	11			
											5,314,873	3	5
											£ 1,762,026	8	0

FRENCH DYNASTIES AND SOVEREIGNS

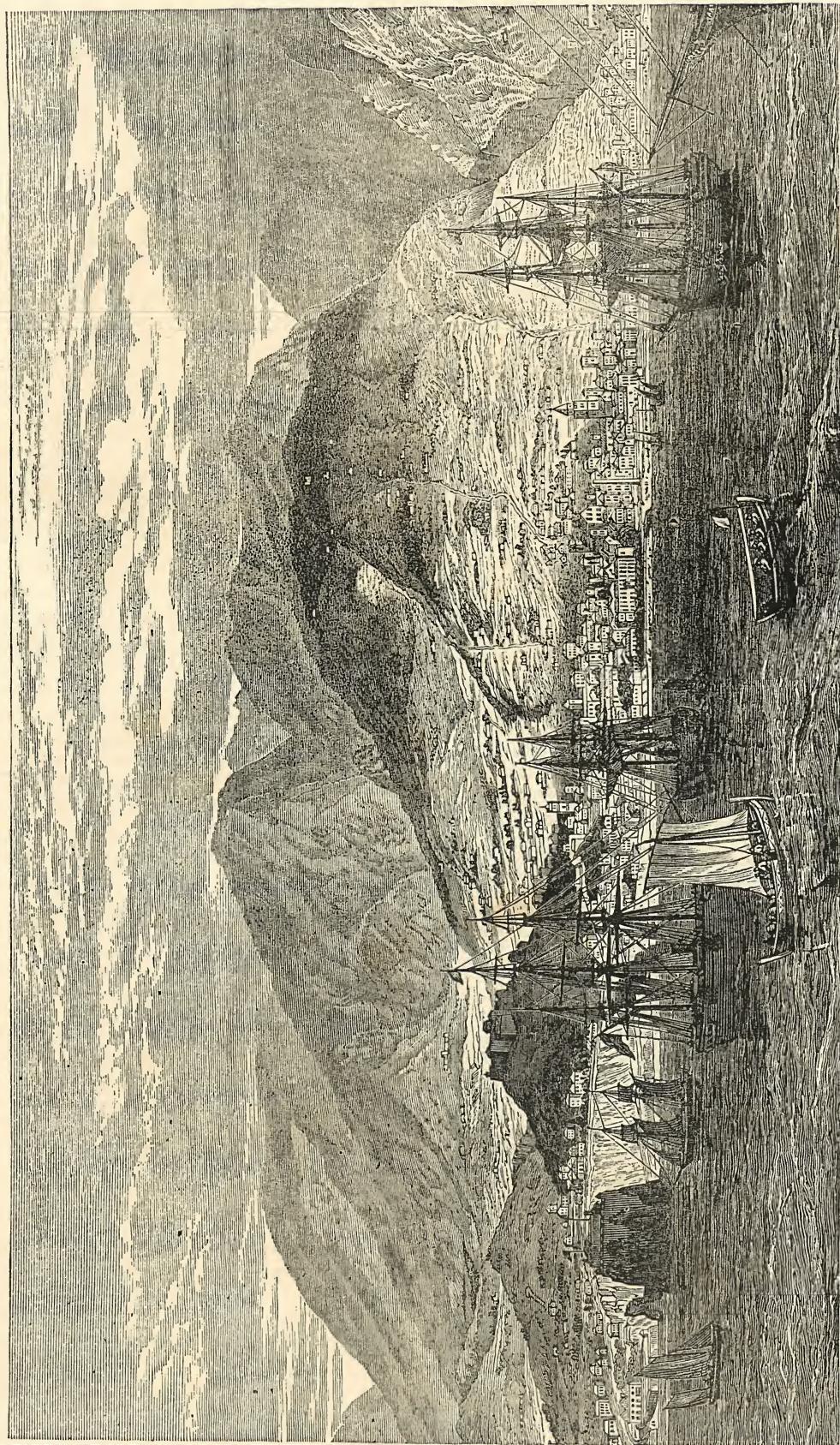
THE MEROVINGIANS.			
Clovis, "The Hairy," King of the Salic Franks	428	Louis XIV., "The Great," <i>Dieudonné</i>	.. 1643
Chilperic III., last of the race ..	737	Louis XV., "The Well-beloved" ..	.. 1715
THE CARLOVINGIANS.		Louis XVI. (guillotined Jan. 21, 1793)	.. 1774
Pepin, "The Short," son of Charles Martel ..	752	Louis XVII. (never reigned) ..	.. 1793
Charlemagne, "The Great," Emperor of the West ..	768	THE FIRST REPUBLIC.	
Louis V., "The Indolent," last of the race ..	986	The National Convention first sat Sept. 21 .. 1792	
THE CAPETS.		The Directory nominated, Nov. 1 ..	.. 1795
Hugh Capet, "The Great" ..	987	THE CONSULATE.	
Charles IV., "The Handsome" ..	1322	Bonaparte, Cambacérès and Lebrun, Dec. 24 1792	
HOUSE OF VALOIS.		Bonaparte, Consul for ten years, May 6 .. 1800	
Philip VI. de Valois, "The Fortunate" ..	1328	Bonaparte, Consul for life, Aug. 2 ..	.. 1802
Henry III., last of the race ..	1574	THE EMPIRE.	
HOUSE OF BOURBON.		Napoleon I., decreed Emperor May 18 .. 1804	
Henry IV., "The Great," King of Navarre	1580	Napoleon II. (never reigned), died July 22 .. 1832	
Louis XIII., "The Just" ..	1619	THE RESTORATION.	
THE RESTORATION.		Louis XVIII., re-entered Paris May 3 .. 1814	
Charles X., dep. July 30, 1830, d. Nov. 6, 1836	1824	Charles X., dep. July 30, 1830, d. Nov. 6, 1836	1824
Heir-expectant, Henry, Duc de Bordeaux, Sept. 29 ..		.. 1820	
THE HOUSE OF ORLEANS.		THE SECOND REPUBLIC.	
Louis Philippe, King of the French (abdicated Feb. 24, 1848, died Aug. 26, 1850)		.. 1830	
Heir-expectant, Comte de Paris, born Aug. 24, 1838		THE EMPIRE REVIVED.	
Napoleon III., elected Emperor (deposed Sept. 4, 1870), Nov. 22 ..		.. 1852	
Heir, Napoleon Eugène Louis, born March 16, 1856		THE THIRD REPUBLIC.	
Committee of Public Defence, Sept. 4 1870	
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			Rises.	Souths before Noon.	Sets.	Rises. Morn.	Sets. Aftern.	Before Sunrise. O'Clock.	Moon's Age	After Sunset. O'Clock.	7	8	9	10	11	12	Morn.	Aftern.	Morn.	Aftern.	London Bridge.	Liverpool Dock.	Morn.	Aftern.	
1	W	St. Giles	5 13	0 3	6 46	6 46	7 21		2								2 43	3 0	11 59	—	244				
2	Th	Great Fire of London, 1666	5 15	0 22	6 44	8 1	7 33		3								3 17	3 35	0 16	0 33	245				
3	F	Oliver Cromwell died, 1658	5 16	0 41	6 42	9 15	7 42		4								3 51	4 8	0 51	1 7	246				
4	S	Battle of Worcester, 1651	5 18	1 0	6 40	10 30	7 55		5								4 23	4 39	1 24	1 39	247				
5	S	15TH SUND. AFT. TRINITY	5 20	1 20	6 37	11 44	8 10		6								4 53	5 8	1 55	2 9	248				
6	M	Dr. R. Whytt born, 1714	5 21	1 40	6 35	Aftern.	8 30		7								5 23	5 38	2 24	2 39	249				
7	Tu	Dr. Johnson born, 1709	5 23	2 0	6 32	2 9	8 59		8								5 56	6 15	2 54	3 12	250				
8	W	Nativity of Virgin Mary	5 25	2 20	6 29	3 17	9 40		9								6 36	6 59	3 31	3 52	251				
9	Th	Sebastopol taken, 1855	5 26	2 41	6 27	4 10	10 33		10								7 30	8 4	4 15	4 46	252				
10	F	Battle of Flecken Field, 1513	5 27	3 1	6 25	4 52	11 42		11								8 46	9 38	5 20	6 2	253				
11	S	Battle of Malplaquet, 1709	5 29	3 22	6 22	5 22	Morn.		12								10 29	11 13	6 54	7 45	254				
12	S	16TH SUND. AFT. TRINITY	5 31	3 43	6 20	5 44	0 57		13								11 49	—	8 29	9 5	255				
13	M	Charles J. Fox died, 1866	5 32	4 4	6 18	6 0	2 21		14								0 18	0 42	9 34	9 58	256				
14	Tu	Duke of Wellington died, 1852	5 33	4 25	6 16	6 14	3 43		15								1 5	1 25	10 21	10 41	257				
15	W	Brungel (engineer) died, 1859	5 35	4 47	6 14	6 26	5 7		16								1 45	2 2	11 1	11 18	258				
16	Th	Mount Cenis Tunnel opened, 1871	5 36	5 8	6 12	6 36	6 32		17								2 19	2 35	11 35	11 51	259				
17	F	Lambert, Bishop	5 38	5 29	6 10	6 50	7 57		18								2 52	3 9	—	0 8	260				
18	S	Length of night, 11h. 33m.	5 40	5 50	6 7	7 5	9 26		19								3 27	3 45	0 25	0 43	261				
19	S	17TH SUND. AFT. TRINITY	5 42	6 12	6 5	7 26	10 57		20								4 5	4 23	1 1	1 21	262				
20	M	Peace Congress of Brussels, 1818	5 43	6 33	6 2	7 55	Aftern.		21								4 40	5 1	1 39	1 56	263				
21	Tu	St. Matthew	5 45	6 54	6 0	8 39	1 51		22								5 22	5 45	2 17	2 38	264				
22	W	Lord Denman died, 1854	5 46	7 15	5 58	9 41	3 0		23								6 8	6 35	3 1	3 24	265				
23	Th	Battle of Assaye, 1803	5 48	7 36	5 56	10 59	3 49		24								7 9	7 47	3 51	4 25	266				
24	F	Butler (poet) died, 1680	5 49	7 56	5 54	Morn.	4 24		25								8 33	9 27	5 3	5 49	267				
25	S	Porson died, 1808	5 51	8 17	5 52	0 23	4 47		26								10 22	11 10	6 43	7 38	268				
26	S	18TH SUND. AFT. TRINITY	5 53	8 37	5 50	1 47	5 3		27								11 45	—	8 26	9 1	269				
27	M	Strasburg capitulated, 1870	5 55	8 58	5 47	3 9	5 17		28								0 15	0 43	9 31	9 59	270				
28	Tu	Metropolitan Police commenced duty, 1829	5 56	9 18	5 45	4 25	5 29		29								1 5	1 26	10 21	10 42	271				
29	W	St. Michael. <i>Michaelmas Day</i>	5 58	9 37	5 43	5 42	5 40		30								1 44	2 1	11 0	11 17	272				
30	Th	St. Jerome	5 59	9 57	5 41	6 57	5 50		1								2 17	2 32	11 33	11 48	273				



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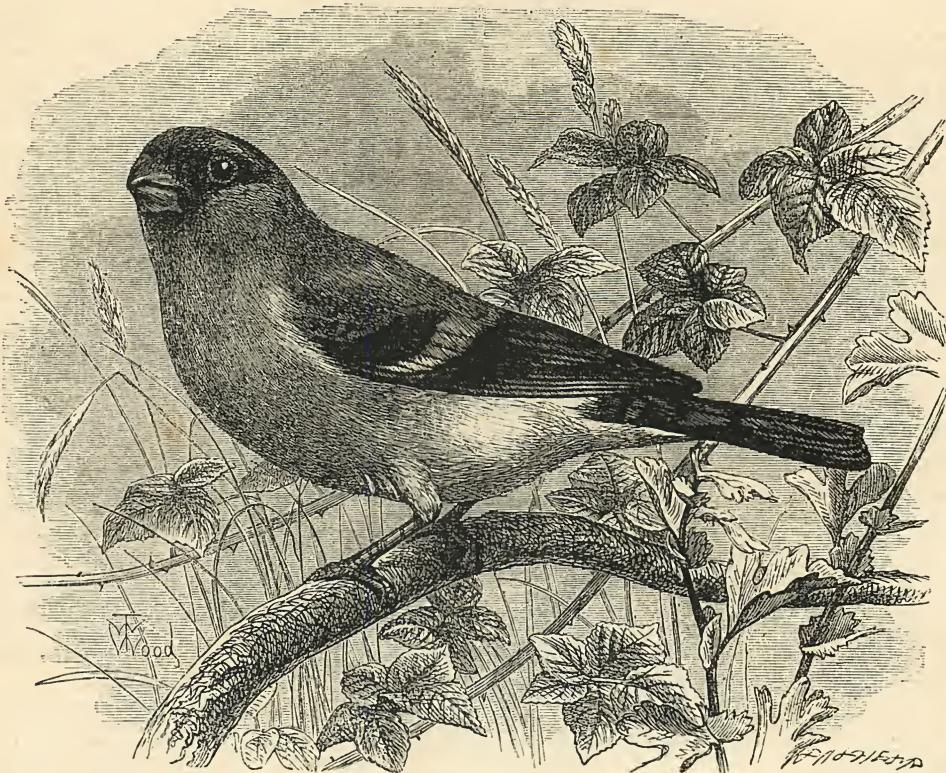
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QUEEN VICTORIA'S PARLIAMENTS.—The Parliament which passed into the region of history in March, 1834, was the eighth Parliament which had been assembled under the reign of her Majesty, and the tenth since the passing of the first Reform Bill. The Parliament which was sitting at the death of William IV., in June, 1837, came to an end in the following month by the demise of the Crown, and the new Parliament elected in the August, which met in the November of that year, was dissolved in June, 1841, having lasted four years. Her Majesty's second Parliament, elected in August, 1841, was dissolved in July, 1847, having lasted nearly six years. Her third Parliament, which met in the November of the same year, was dissolved in July, 1852, having lasted about four years and three-quarters. The fourth Parliament of her Majesty met in November, 1852, and was dissolved in March, 1857, having lasted four years and a half. The fifth Parliament of her Majesty was the briefest in its duration, having met in April, 1857, and having been dissolved in the spring of 1859, after a life of little more than two years' duration. The next Parliament, which assembled in April, 1859, lasted six years, being dissolved early in 1865; and her Majesty's seventh Parliament lasted from the spring of 1865 to the autumn of 1868, about three years and a half. The eighth Parliament, known as Mr. Gladstone's Parliament, was elected in November and December, 1868, and enjoyed an existence of a little over five years. Consequently, it lived longer than any of its predecessors, except only those of 1841-7 and 1859-65. As her Majesty has now reigned above thirty-seven years, it will be seen upon an easy calculation that the average duration of the Parliaments which have been assembled at Westminster under Queen Victoria has been a little over four years and a half.

SOVEREIGNS OF EUROPE,
WITH THEIR AGE AND DATE OF ACCESSION.

Country.	Name.	Birth.	Acc.
Great Britain	Victoria	May 24, 1819	1837.
Austria	Francis Joseph	Aug. 18, 1830	1848.
Baden	Frederick	Sept. 9, 1826	1856.
Bavaria	Louis II.	Aug. 25, 1845	1864.
Belgium	Leopold II.	April 9, 1835	1865.
Denmark	Christian IX.	April 8, 1818	1863.
France (Republic)	Mar. MacMahon, Pres.	1807	1873.
Germany	William	Mar. 22, 1797	1861.
Greece	George	Dec. 24, 1845	1863.
Hesse Darmstadt	Louis III.	June 9, 1806	1848.
Italy	Victor Emmanuel	Mar. 14, 1820	1862.
Mecklenburg	Frederick Francis	Feb. 28, 1823	1842.
Mecklenburg-Strelitz	Frederick Charles	Oct. 17, 1819	1860.
Netherlands	William III.	Feb. 19, 1817	1849.
Oldenburg	Nicolas	July 8, 1826	1853.
Portugal	Louis I.	Oct. 31, 1838	1861.
Rome	Pope Pius IX.	May 13, 1792	1846.
Russia	Alexander II.	Apr. 29, 1818	1855.
Saxe Coburg and Gotha	Ernest II.	June 21, 1818	1844.
Saxe-Meiningen	George	April 2, 1826	1866.
Saxe-Weimar	Charles Alexander	June 24, 1818	1853.
Saxony	Frederick Aug. Albert	April 23, 1828	1873.
Spain (Republic)	Marshall Serrano, Pres.		
Sweden and Norway	Oscar II.	Jan. 21, 1859	1874.
Turkey	Abdul Aziz	Feb. 9, 1830	1861.
Wurtemberg	Charles Frederick	Mar. 6, 1823	1864.

OCTOBER.



BULLFINCH.

D. OF M.	D. OF W.	ANNIVERSARIES, FESTIVALS, OCCURRENCES, ETC.	SUN.				MOON.				DURATION OF MOONLIGHT.												HIGH WATER AT				Day of Year.
			Rises.	Souths before Noon.	Sets.	Rises. Morn.	Sets. Aftern.	before Sunrise. O'Clock.	Moon's Asc.	After Sunset. O'Clock.	London	Bridge.	Liverpool	Dock.	Morn.	Aftern.	Morn.	Aftern.									
1 F		Cambridge Michaelmas Term begins	6 1	10 16 5 40	8 13 6 2			0 2 3 4 5 6	2	6 7 8 9 10 12					2 48	3 3	—	0 4	274								
2 S		Admiral Keppel died, 1796	6 3	10 35 5 38	9 26 6 16				3						3 20	3 35	0 19	0 36	275								
3 S		19TH SUND. AFT. TRINITY	6 5	10 54 5 35	10 42 6 33				4						3 50	4 5	0 51	1 6	276								
4 M		John Rennie died, 1821	6 7	11 12 5 32	11 56 6 58				5						4 20	4 34	1 21	1 36	277								
5 Tu		Kirke White died, 1806	6 9	11 30 5 30	Aftern. 7 33				6						4 50	5 3	1 50	2 6	278								
6 W		Faith, Virgin and Martyr	6 10	11 48 5 27	2 2 8 22				7						5 20	5 40	2 19	2 36	279								
7 Th		Archbishop Laud born, 1573	6 12	12 5 25	2 49 9 33				8						6 3	6 28	2 56	3 19	280								
8 F		Battle of Torres Vedras, 1810	6 14	12 22 5 22	3 23 10 34				9						6 55	7 28	3 44	4 11	281								
9 S		St. Denys	6 16	12 38 5 20	3 47 11 54				10						8 10	8 59	4 44	5 26	282								
10 S		20TH SUND. AFT. TRINITY	6 17	12 54 5 18	4 5 Morn.				11						9 50	10 36	6 15	7 6	283								
11 M		Oxford Michaelmas Term begins	6 19	13 10 5 15	4 21 1 14				12						11 15	11 45	7 52	8 31	284								
12 Tu		Columbus discovered America, 1492	6 20	13 25 5 13	4 31 2 39				13						—	0 9	9 1	9 25	285								
13 W		Canova (sculptor) died, 1822	6 22	13 40 5 11	4 44 4 2				14	●					0 29	0 48	9 45	10 4	286								
14 Th		Fire Insurance due	6 24	13 54 5 8	4 55 5 28				15						1 6	1 25	10 22	10 41	287								
15 F		Murat executed, 1815	6 25	14 8 5 6	5 10 6 57				16						1 44	2 2	11 0	11 18	288								
16 S		Lord Palmerston died, 1865	6 27	14 21 5 4	5 28 8 29				17						2 19	2 37	11 35	11 53	289								
17 S		21ST SUND. AFT. TRINITY	6 28	14 33 5 2	5 54 10 4				18						2 57	3 17	—	0 13	290								
18 M		St. Luke	6 30	14 45 5 0	6 34 11 36				19						3 39	4 0	0 33	0 55	291								
19 Tu		Swift died, 1745	6 31	14 56 4 58	7 32 Aftern.				20						4 22	4 45	1 16	1 38	292								
20 W		Sir Christopher Wren born, 1632	6 32	15 7 4 56	8 47 1 48				21						5 9	5 33	2 1	2 25	293								
21 Th		Battle of Trafalgar, 1805	6 34	15 17 4 54	10 10 2 29				22	●					6 0	6 30	2 49	3 16	294								
22 F		Lord Holland died, 1840	6 36	15 26 4 52	11 36 2 52				23						7 5	7 45	3 46	4 21	295								
23 S		Earl of Derby died, 1869	6 38	15 34 4 50	Morn. 3 12				24						8 30	9 24	5 1	5 46	296								
24 S		22ND SUND. AFT. TRINITY	6 40	15 42 4 47	0 57 3 26				25						10 14	10 54	6 40	7 30	297								
25 M		St. Crispin	6 42	15 49 4 45	2 14 3 38				26						11 25	11 51	8 10	8 41	298								
26 Tu		Hogarth died, 1764	6 44	15 56 4 43	3 29 3 48				27						—	0 15	9 7	9 31	299								
27 W		Captain Cook born, 1728	6 46	16 1 4 41	4 43 3 59				28						0 36	0 55	9 52	10 11	300								
28 Th		St. Simon and St. Jude	6 48	16 6 4 39	5 51 4 10				29						1 13	1 30	10 29	10 46	301								
29 F		Riots at Bristol, 1831	6 50	16 10 4 37	7 11 4 22				30	○					1 48	2 3	11 4	11 19	302								
30 S		Sheridan born, 1751	6 51	16 14 4 36	8 26 4 38				1						2 18	2 35	11 34	11 51	303								
31 S		23RD SUND. AFT. TRINITY	6 53	16 16 4 34	9 43 5 0				2						2 50	3 6	—	0 6	304								



"OPHELIA."—"SWEET BELLS JANGLING OUT OF TUNE."—BY W. S. HERRICK.

THE ILLUSTRATED LONDON ALMANACK FOR 1875.

ASTRONOMICAL OCCURRENCES IN THE YEAR 1875.

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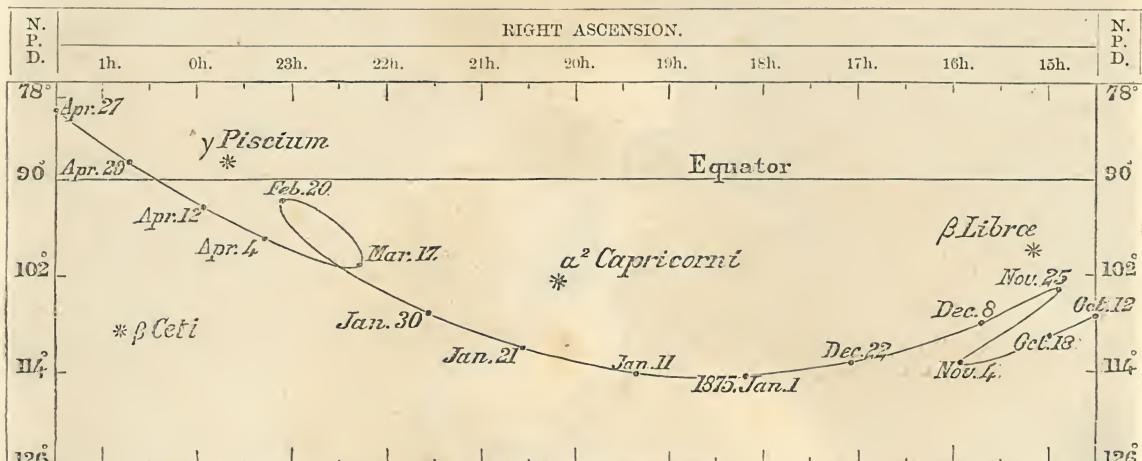
THE MOON during the morning of the 2nd is near Mars, being situated to the left of the planet. She is some distance to the left of Venus on the morning of the 5th, very near Mercury on the morning of the 7th, near Saturn on the evening of the 9th, near Jupiter on the morning of the 29th, and to the left of Mars on the morning of the last day. Her phases or times of change are:—

New Moon on the 7th at 8 minutes after 5h. in the afternoon.
First Quarter " 14th " 22 " 9 " afternoon.
Full Moon " 21st " 41 " 5 " afternoon.
Last Quarter " 29th " 34 " 0 " afternoon.

She is nearest to the Earth on the morning of the 17th, and most distant on the afternoon of the 1st, and again on the afternoon of the 29th.

MERCURY is a morning star, rising 25m. before the Sun on the 1st day; decreasing to 12m. by the 5th day; and on the 9th the planet and Sun rise together; and from this time to March 2 the planet rises in daylight. On the 20th the planet sets at 4h. 33m. p.m., or 7m. after sunset; increasing to 30m. by the 25th, and to 58m. by the last day (the planet setting on this day at 5h. 44m. p.m.). He is at his greatest distance from the Sun on the 1st, near to and a little north of the Moon on the 7th, in superior conjunction with the Sun on the 15th, and near Saturn on the 27th.

VENUS is a morning star, rising on the 1st at 5h. 20m. a.m., or 2h. 48m. before the Sun; on the 11th at 4h. 53m. a.m., or 3h. 12m. before the Sun; on the 21st at 4h. 41m. a.m., or 3h. 14m. before the Sun; on the last day at 4h. 39m. a.m., or 3h. 4m. before the Sun. She is near the Moon on the



PATH OF MERCURY FROM 1874, OCT. 12, TO 1875, APRIL 27.

4th, in perihelion (or nearest) to the Sun on the 10th, and at her greatest brilliancy on the 13th.

MARS is a morning star, rising on the 1st at 2h. 34m. a.m., or 5h. 34m. before sunrise; on the 11th at 2h. 29m. a.m., or 5h. 36m. before sunrise; on the 21st at 2h. 21m. a.m., or 5h. 34m. before sunrise; on the last day at 2h. 15m. a.m., or 5h. 28m. before sunrise. He is due south on the 15th day at 7h. 11m. a.m., and on the last day at 6h. 45m. a.m. He is near the Moon on the 2nd, and again on the 30th, the nearest approach being at 7h. p.m.

JUPITER is a morning star, rising on the 1st at 1h. 53m. a.m., on the 11th at 1h. 19m. a.m., on the 21st at 0h. 45m. a.m., on the 31st at 0h. 9m. a.m., and visible afterwards till sunrise. He is due south on the 15th at 6h. 17m. a.m., and on the last day at 5h. 18m. a.m. He is in quadrature with the Sun on the 21st, and nearest the Moon on the 28th at 10h. p.m.

SATURN sets on the 1st at 6h. 47m. p.m., or 2h. 47m. after sunset; on the 11th at 6h. 14m. p.m., or 2h. 2m. after sunset; on the 21st at 5h. 42m. p.m., or 1h. 14m. after sunset; and on the last day at 5h. 9m. p.m., or 23m. after sunset. He is due south on the 15th at 1h. 29m. p.m., and on the last day at 0h. 34m. p.m. He is near the Moon on the 9th.

FEBRUARY.

THE MOON will be near Venus on the morning of the 1st, near Saturn on the morning of the 6th, near Mercury on the evening of the 7th, near

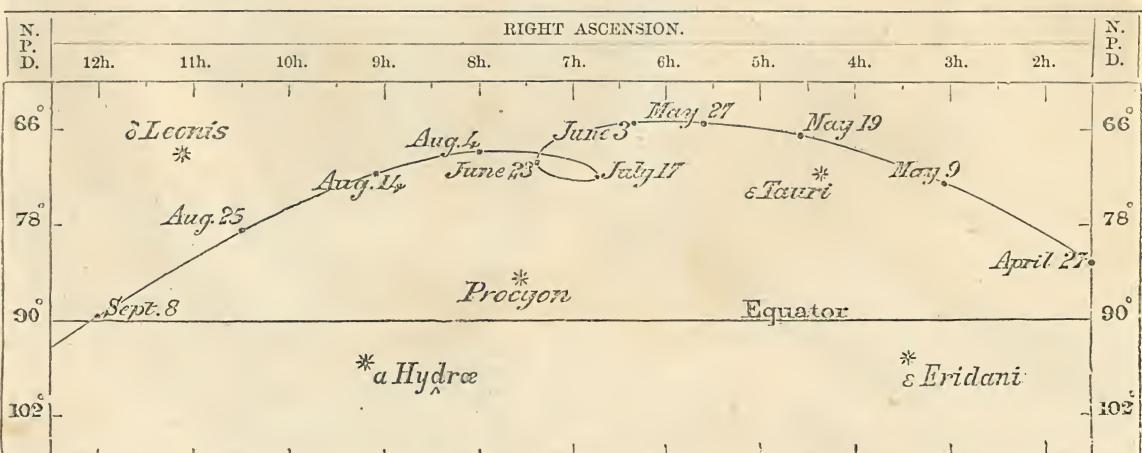
Jupiter on the morning of the 25th; and near Mars on the morning of the last day. Her phases or times of change are:—

New Moon on the 6th at 55 minutes after 7h. in the morning.
First Quarter " 13th " 20 " 5 " morning.
Full Moon " 20th " 1 " 8 " morning.
Last Quarter " 28th " 51 " 9 " morning.

She is nearest to the Earth on the morning of the 11th, and most distant on the afternoon of the 26th.

MERCURY is an evening star, setting on the 4th at 6h. 9m. p.m., or 1h. 17m. after the Sun; on the 9th at 6h. 35m. p.m., or 1h. 28m. after the Sun; on the 14th at 6h. 53m. p.m., or 1h. 46m. after the Sun; on the 19th at 6h. 59m. p.m., or 1h. 40m. after the Sun; on the 24th at 6h. 36m. p.m., or 1h. 7m. after the Sun; and on the last day at 6h. 1m. p.m., or 25m. after the Sun. He is near the Moon on the 7th, in his ascending node on the 10th, at his greatest eastern elongation (18 deg. 7 min.) on the 14th, in perihelion on the 14th, and stationary among the stars (see diagram) on the 20th.

VENUS is a morning star, rising on the 1st day at 4h. 40m. a.m., or 3h. 1m. before sunrise, which interval gradually decreases to 2h. 44m. by the 10th (the planet rising at 4h. 41m. a.m.). She rises at 4h. 45m. a.m., or 2h. 22m. before sunrise on the 20th; and at 4h. 45m. a.m., or 2h. 5m. before sunrise on the last day. She is nearest the Moon on the 2nd day at 1h. p.m., and at her greatest western elongation (46 deg. 44 min.) on the 15th.



PATH OF MERCURY FROM 1875, APRIL 27, TO 1875, SEPT. 8.



THE ILLUSTRATED LONDON ALMANACK FOR 1875.

MARS is a morning star, rising on the 10th at 2h. 6m. a.m., or 5h. 19m. before sunrise; on the 20th at 1h. 57m. a.m., or 5h. 10m. before sunrise; on the last day at 1h. 49m. a.m., or 5h. 1m. before sunrise. He is due south on the 1st day at 6h. 43m. a.m., on the 15th at 6h. 19m. a.m., and on the last day at 5h. 57m. a.m. He is in quadrature with the Sun on the 26th, and near the Moon on the 28th.

JUPITER rises on the 2nd twice on the same day—viz., at 0h. 2m. a.m. and 11h. 58m. p.m. He rises on the 10th at 11h. 32m. p.m., on the 20th at 10h. 52m. p.m., and on the last day at 10h. 29m. p.m., and is visible after these times throughout the night. He is due south on the 14th at 4h. 25m. a.m., and on the last day at 3h. 29m. a.m. He is stationary among the stars (see diagram) on the 15th, and near the Moon on the 25th.

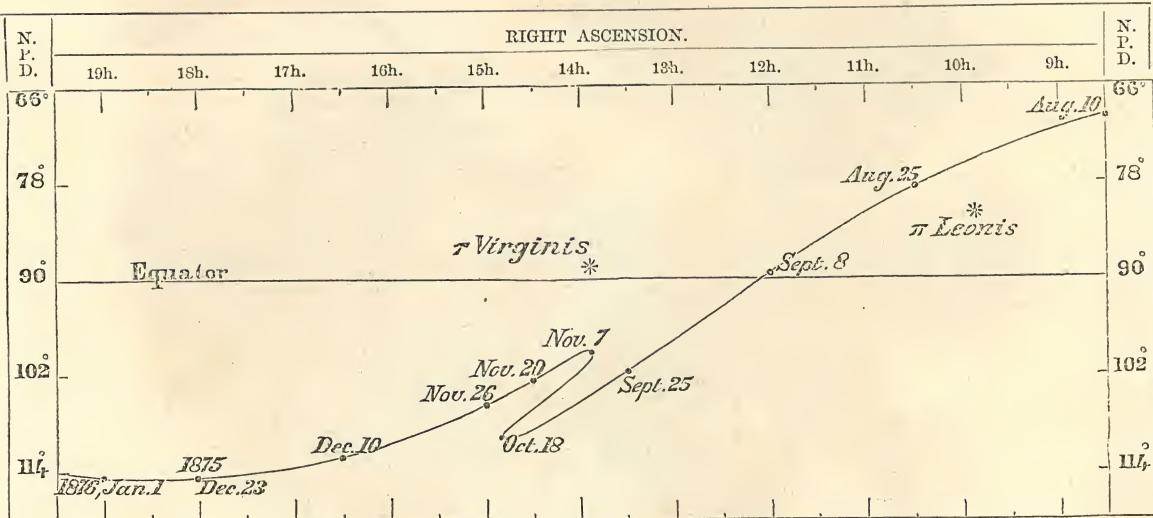
SATURN is a morning star, rising on the 7th at the same time as the Sun; on the 10th at 7h. 22m. a.m., or 3m. before sunrise; on the 20th at 6h. 46m.

a.m., or 21m. before sunrise; and on the last day at 6h. 12m. a.m., or 33m. before sunrise. He is due south on the 14th at 11h. 46m. a.m., and on the last day at 10h. 57m. a.m. He is near the Sun on the 5th, and near the Moon on the 6th.

MARCH.

The Moon during the early morning hours of the 4th is near Venus, being situated a little to the left of the planet. She is near Saturn on the 5th and 6th, near Mercury on the 6th, near Jupiter on the 24th, and near Mars on the morning of the 29th. Her phases or times of change are:—

New Moon on the 7th at 20 minutes after 8h. in the afternoon.
First Quarter " 14th " 5 " 1 " afternoon.
Full Moon " 21st " 52 " 11 " afternoon.
Last Quarter " 28th " 25 " 4 " morning.



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She is nearest to the Earth on the morning of the 10th, and most distant on the morning of the 26th.

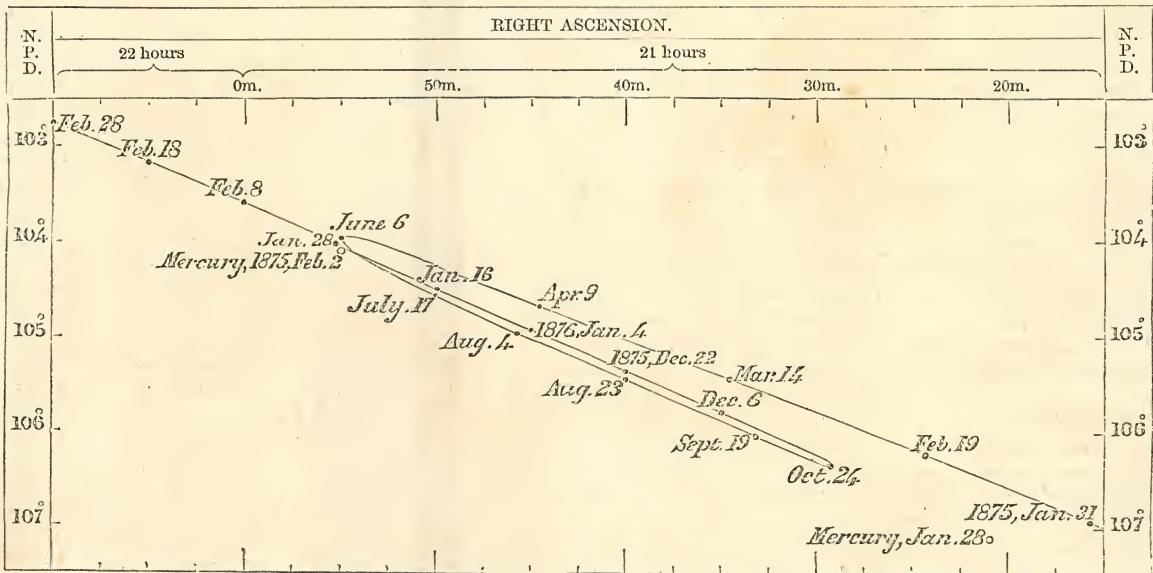
MERCURY sets on the 2nd nearly at the same time as the Sun, and from this time to May 9 he sets in daylight. On the 1st he rises at 6h. 27m. a.m., or 21m. before sunrise, increasing to 45m. by the 16th, and then decreasing to 36m. by the last day (the planet rising at 5h. 5m. a.m.). He is in inferior conjunction with the Sun on the 1st, near the Moon on the 6th, stationary among the stars (see diagram) on the 14th, in his descending node on the 20th, at his greatest western elongation (27 deg. 47 min.) on the 29th, and at his greatest distance from the Sun on the 30th.

VENUS is a morning star, rising at 4h. 45m. a.m., or 2h. 1m. before the Sun on the 2nd; at 4h. 43m. a.m., or 1h. 40m. before the Sun on the 12th; at 4h. 36m. a.m., or 1h. 25m. before the Sun on the 22nd; and at 4h. 26m. a.m., or 1h. 15m. before the Sun on the 31st. She is near the Moon on the 4th, near Saturn on the 27th, and in her descending node on the 29th.

MARS is a morning star, rising 5h. 1m. before the Sun on the 2nd, 4h. 50m. on the 12th, 4h. 43m. on the 22nd, and 4h. 39m. on the last day (the planet rising on these days at 1h. 45m. a.m., 1h. 33m. a.m., 1h. 18m. a.m., and 1h. 2m. a.m., respectively). He is due south in the middle of the month at 5h. 29m. a.m., and on the last day at 4h. 57m. a.m. He is near the Moon on the 4th and 29th.

JUPITER rises on the 2nd at 10h. 11m. p.m., or 4h. 32m. after sunset; on the 12th at 9h. 28m. p.m., or 3h. 31m. after sunset; on the 22nd at 8h. 44m. p.m., or 2h. 30m. after sunset; and on the last day at 8h. 4m. p.m., or 1h. 34m. after sunset. He is due south on the 1st at 3h. 25m. a.m., on the 15th at 2h. 27m. a.m., on the 31st at 1h. 18m. a.m. He is near the Moon on the 24th.

SATURN is a morning star, rising on the 2nd at 6h. 10m. a.m., on the 12th at 5h. 32m. a.m., on the 22nd at 4h. 50m. a.m., on the last day at 4h. 15m. (Continued on page 44.)



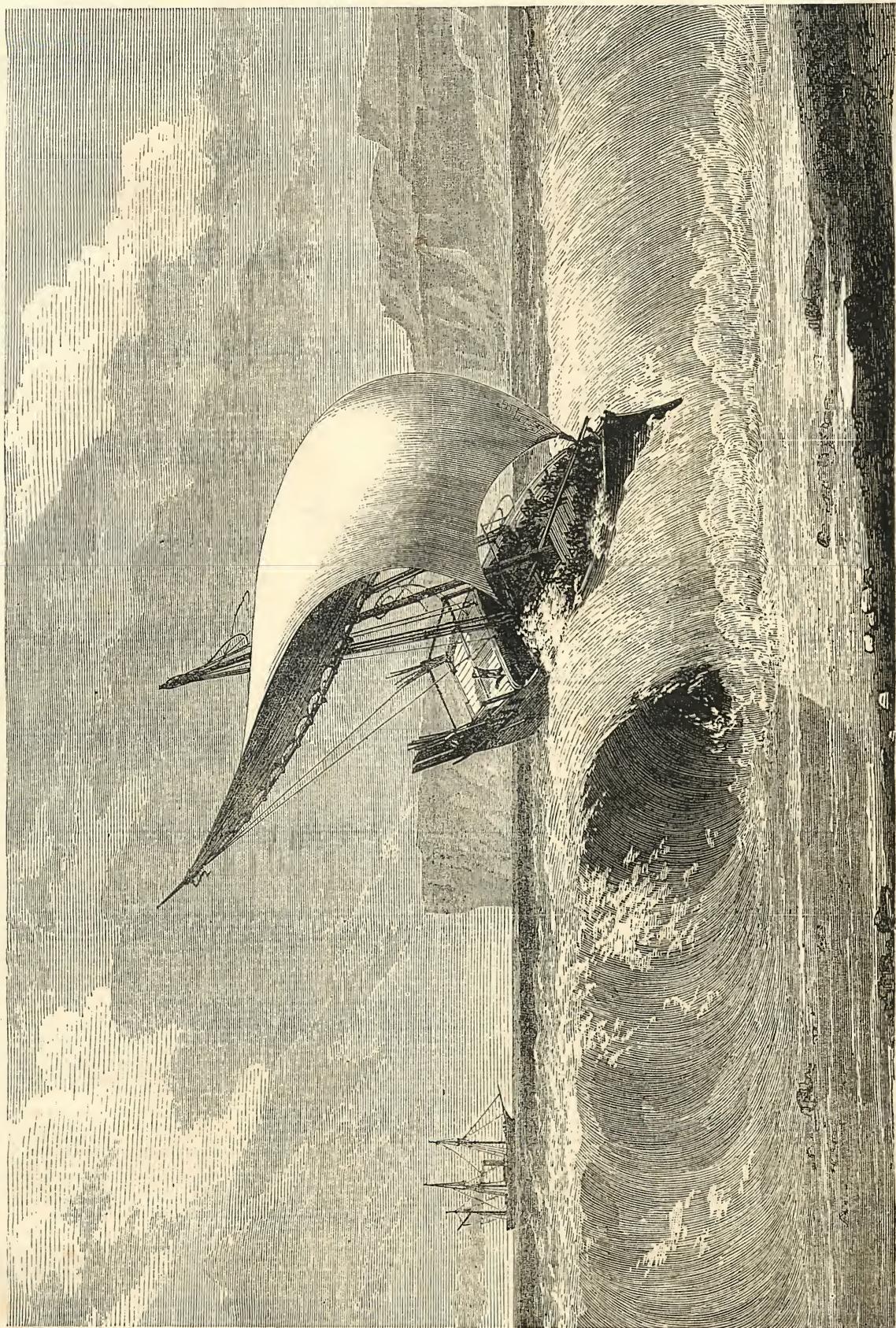
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D. of M.	D. of W.	ANNIVERSARIES, FESTIVALS, OCCURRENCES, ETC.	SUN.			MOON.			DURATION OF MOONLIGHT.												HIGH WATER AT				Day of Year.
			Rises.	Souths before Noon.	Sets.	Rises.	Morn.	Sets. Aftern.	Before Sunrise.	Moon's Age.	After Sunset.	O'Clock.	8	10	12	London Bridge.	Liverpool Dock.	Morn.	Aftern.	Morn.	Aftern.				
			H. M.	M. S.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	0	2	3	5	7	4	6	8	10	12	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.			
1	M	<i>All Saints' Day</i>	6 56	16 18	4 32	10 51	5 33												3 20	3 35	0 22	0 36	305		
2	Tu	Law Michaelmas Term begins	6 57	16 19	4 31	11 54	6 15												3 52	4 10	0 51	1 8	306		
3	W	Battle of Hohenlinden, 1800	6 59	16 19	4 29	Aftern.	7 11												4 25	4 41	1 26	1 41	307		
4	Th	George Peabody died, 1869	7 0	16 19	4 27	1 21	8 18												5 0	5 18	1 57	2 16	308		
5	F	Gunpowder Plot, 1605	7 2	16 17	4 25	1 49	9 34												5 39	6 2	2 34	2 55	309		
6	S	<i>St. Leonard</i>	7 4	16 15	4 24	2 9	10 52												6 30	7 0	3 18	3 46	310		
7	S	24TH SUND. AFT. TRINITY	7 5	16 12	4 23	2 24	Morn.												7 35	8 15	4 16	4 51	311		
8	M	Cambridge Michaelmas Term divides (noon)	7 7	16 8	4 22	2 37	0 10												8 58	9 42	5 31	6 14	312		
9	Tu	Birth of the Prince of Wales, 1841	7 9	16 4	4 20	2 48	1 32												10 20	10 55	6 58	7 36	313		
10	W	Martin Luther born, 1483	7 10	15 58	4 19	3 0	2 55												11 22	11 47	8 11	8 38	314		
11	Th	<i>St. Martin</i>	7 12	15 52	4 17	3 14	4 21												—	0 10	9 3	9 26	315		
12	F	Baxter born, 1615	7 14	15 45	4 16	3 29	5 51												0 30	0 50	9 46	10 6	316		
13	S	<i>Brittus</i>	7 16	15 37	4 14	3 53	7 26												1 10	1 32	10 26	10 48	317		
14	S	25TH SUND. AFT. TRINITY	7 18	15 28	4 12	4 26	9 3												1 55	2 16	11 11	11 32	318		
15	M	<i>Machutus</i>	7 19	15 18	4 11	5 16	10 32												2 37	3 0	11 53	—	319		
16	Th	Battle of Lutzen, 1632	7 21	15 9	4 10	6 28	11 41												3 23	3 46	0 16	0 39	320		
17	W	<i>Hugh, Bishop of Lincoln</i>	7 23	14 56	4 9	7 51	Aftern.												4 10	4 37	1 2	1 26	321		
18	Th	Length of day, sh. 43m.	7 25	14 44	4 8	9 20	0 57												5 2	5 29	1 53	2 18	322		
19	F	Cardinal Pole died, 1838	7 27	14 31	4 7	10 44	1 18												5 58	6 28	2 45	3 14	323		
20	S	<i>Edmund, King and Martyr</i>	7 28	14 17	4 6	Morn.	1 33												7 0	7 34	3 44	4 16	324		
21	S	26TH SUND. AFT. TRINITY	7 30	14 2	4 4	0 3	1 46												8 10	8 49	4 50	5 26	325		
22	M	<i>St. Cecilia</i>	7 31	13 47	4 3	1 20	1 58												9 30	10 9	6 5	6 46	326		
23	Tu	<i>St. Clement</i>	7 33	13 30	4 2	2 33	2 8												10 42	11 12	7 25	7 59	327		
24	W	John Knox died, 1572	7 34	13 13	4 0	3 46	2 18												11 38	Midn.	8 28	8 54	328		
25	Th	Law Michaelmas Term ends	7 36	12 55	3 58	5 0	2 31												—	0 22	9 16	9 38	329		
26	F	Eddystone Lighthouse destroyed, 1703	7 37	12 36	3 57	6 13	2 46												0 43	1 5	9 59	10 21	330		
27	S	Princess Mary (of Teck) born, 1883	7 39	12 17	3 56	7 28	3 4												1 20	1 39	10 36	10 55	331		
28	S	1ST SUNDAY IN ADVENT	7 40	11 57	3 55	8 39	3 33												1 55	2 12	11 11	11 28	332		
29	M	Length of night, 16h. 47m.	7 42	11 36	3 55	9 47	4 11												2 28	2 45	11 44	—	333		
30	Tu	<i>St. Andrew</i>	7 44	11 14	3 54	10 41	5 2												3 0	3 18	0 1	0 16	334		



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a.m., being respectively 26m., 50m., 1h. 5m., and 1h. 28m. before sunrise on these days. He is due south on the 15th at 10h. 5m. a.m., on the last day at 9h. 8m. a.m. He is near the Moon on the 5th.

APRIL.

THE MOON will be near Saturn on the morning of the 2nd, near Venus on the morning of the 3rd, to the right of Mercury on the 4th, near Jupiter on the 20th (the day of full moon), near Mars on the morning of the 26th, and near Saturn on the morning of the last day. Her phases or times of change are:—

New Moon on the 6th at 36 minutes after 6h. in the morning.

First Quarter „ 12th „ 33 „ 9 „ afternoon.

Full Moon „ 20th „ 30 „ 4 „ afternoon.

Last Quarter „ 28th „ 17 „ 7 „ afternoon.

She is nearest to the Earth on the morning of the 7th, and most distant on the afternoon of the 22nd.

MERCURY rises at 4h. 58m. a.m., or 31m. before the Sun, on the 5th; at 4h. 52m. a.m., or 26m. before the Sun, on the 10th; at 4h. 44m. a.m., or 23m. before the Sun, on the 15th; at 4h. 37m. a.m., or 21m. before the Sun, on the 20th; at 4h. 31m. a.m., or 16m. before the Sun, on the 25th; and at 4h. 25m. a.m., or 12m. before the Sun, on the last day. He is near the Moon on the 4th.

VENUS rises on the 1st at 4h. 25m. a.m., on the 11th at 4h. 11m. a.m., on the 21st at 3h. 55m. a.m., on the last day at 3h. 38m. a.m.; or being 1h. 13m., 1h. 4m., 1h. 0m., and 59m. before sunrise on these days She is near the Moon on the 2nd.

MARS is still a morning star, rising on the 1st at 1h. 0m. a.m., or 4h. 38m. before sunrise; on the 11th at 0h. 39m. a.m., or 4h. 36m. before sunrise; on the 21st at 0h. 17m. a.m., or 4h. 35m. before sunrise. He is due south on the 15th at 4h. 22m. a.m.; on the last day at 3h. 40m. a.m. He is in his descending node on the 7th, and nearest the Moon on the 25th at 8h. p.m.

JUPITER rises on the 1st at 7h. 59m. p.m., or 1h. 25m. after sunset; on the 11th at 7h. 12m. p.m., or 26m. after sunset. On the 15th the planet

rises at the same time as the Sun sets, and from this day to Nov. 7 the planet rises in daylight. He sets at about the time of sunrise on the 23rd, and after this a few minutes before the Sun till the end of the month. He is due south on the 15th at 0h. 12m. a.m.; on the last day at 11h. 1m. p.m. He is in opposition to the Sun on the 17th; near the Moon on the 20th.

SATURN is a morning star, rising on the 1st at 4h. 19m. a.m., or 1h. 19m. before the Sun; on the 11th at 3h. 42m. a.m., or 1h. 33m. before the Sun; on the 21st at 3h. 3m. a.m., or 1h. 52m. before sunrise; and on the last day at 2h. 30m. a.m., or 2h. 7m. before the Sun. He is due south on the 15th at 8h. 14m. a.m., or the last day at 7h. 19m. a.m. He is near the Moon on the 2nd, and again on the 30th.

MAY.

THE MOON will be near Venus during the morning hours of the 3rd, near Mercury on the 5th (the day of new moon), near Jupiter during the night common to the 16th and 17th, near Mars on the 23rd, and near Saturn on the morning of the 27th. Her phases or times of change are:—

New Moon on the 5th at 4 minutes after 3h. in the afternoon.

First Quarter „ 12th „ 37 „ 7 „ morning.

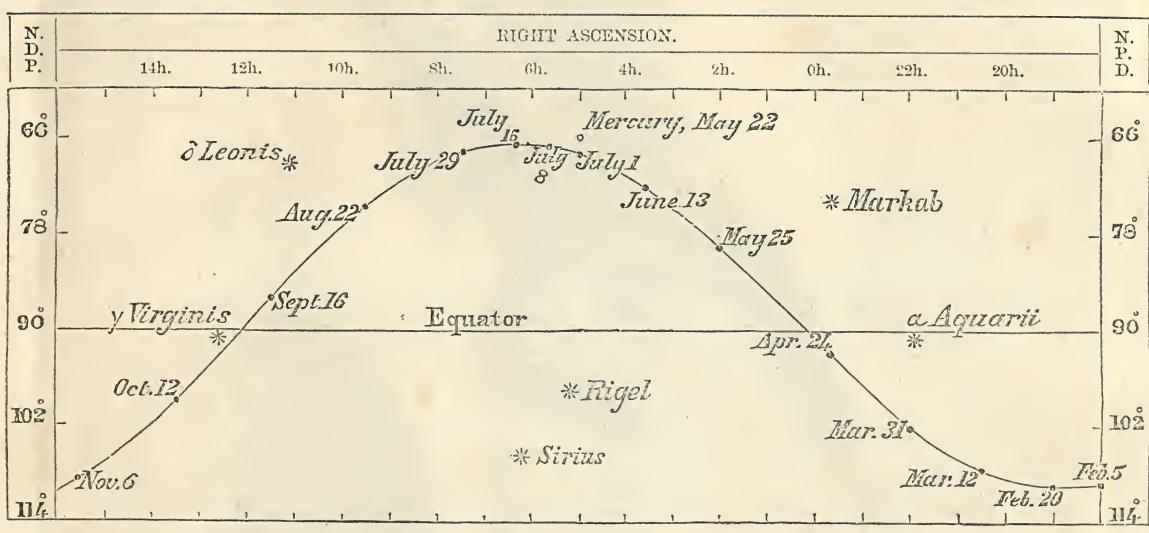
Full Moon „ 20th „ 50 „ 8 „ morning.

Last Quarter „ 28th „ 30 „ 6 „ morning.

She is nearest to the Earth on the afternoon of the 5th, and most distant on the afternoon of the 19th.

MERCURY rises on the 5th at 4h. 21m. a.m., or 7m. before sunrise, the interval gradually decreasing to the 9th, when the planet and Sun rise together; and from this day to July 11 the planet rises in daylight. On the 9th he sets nearly at the same time as the Sun; on the 15th at 8h. 30m. p.m., or 45m. after sunset, rapidly increasing to 1h. 45m. by the 25th; and to 2h. by the end of the month. He is near the Moon on the 5th, in his ascending node on the 9th, and in superior conjunction with the Sun on the same day, and in perihelion on the 13th.

VENUS is still a morning star, rising on the 1st at 3h. 36m. a.m., or 59m. before sunrise; on the 11th at 3h. 18m. a.m., or 59m. before sunrise;



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on the 21st at 3h. 1m. a.m., or 1h. 2m. before sunrise; and on the last day at 2h. 45m. a.m., or 1h. 7m. before sunrise. She is at her greatest distance from the Sun on the 2nd, and near the Moon on the 3rd.

MARS rises on the 1st at 11h. 50m. p.m., or 4h. 29m. after sunset; on the 11th at 11h. 22m. p.m., or 3h. 46m. after sunset; on the 21st at 10h. 48m. p.m., or 2h. 58m. after sunset; on the last day at 10h. 9m. p.m., or 2h. 6m. after sunset. He is due south on the 1st at 3h. 37m. a.m., on the 15th at 2h. 50m. a.m., on the last day at 1h. 44m. a.m. He is stationary among the stars (see diagram) on the 19th, and near the Moon on the 23rd.

JUPITER sets on the 1st at 4h. 19m. a.m., or 16m. before sunrise; on the 11th at 3h. 36m. a.m., or 41m. before sunrise; on the 21st at 2h. 56m. a.m., or 1h. 7m. before sunrise; and on the last day at 2h. 15m. a.m., or 1h. 37m. before sunrise, and is visible throughout the night till these times. He is due south on the 15th at 9h. 56m. p.m.; on the last day at 8h. 49m. p.m. He is near the Moon on the 17th.

SATURN is a morning star, rising on the 1st at 2h. 26m. a.m., or 2h. 9m. before sunrise, which interval gradually increases to 2h. 30m. by the 11th, to 2h. 52m. by the 21st, and to 3h. 21m. by the last day (the planet rising on these days at 1h. 47m. a.m., 1h. 11m. a.m., and 0h. 31m. a.m., respectively). He is due south on the 15th at 6h. 23m. a.m.; on the last day at 5h. 22m. a.m. He is in quadrature with the Sun on the 17th, and near the Moon on the 27th.

JUNE.

THE MOON will be to the right of Venus on the 1st, and to the left of her on the morning of the 2nd; near Mercury on the 5th; near Jupiter on the 18th; near Mars on the morning of the 19th; and near Saturn on the evening of the 23rd and morning of the 24th. Her phases or times of change are:—

New Moon on the 3rd at 21 minutes after 10h. in the afternoon.

First Quarter „ 10th „ 55 „ 7 „ afternoon.

Full Moon „ 18th „ 56 „ 11 „ afternoon.

Last Quarter „ 26th „ 39 „ 2 „ afternoon.

She is nearest to the Earth on the morning of the 3rd, and most distant at midnight on the 15th.

MERCURY is an evening star, setting on the 4th at 10h. 9m. p.m., or 2h. 2m. after sunset; on the 9th at 10h. 6m., or 1h. 55m. after sunset; on

the 14th at 9h. 53m. p.m., or 1h. 37m. after sunset; on the 19th at 9h. 35m. or 1h. 18m. after sunset; on the 24th at 9h. 8m. p.m., or 49m. after sunset; and on the last day at 8h. 31m. p.m., or 13m. after sunset. He is near the Moon on the 5th, at his greatest eastern elongation (24 deg. 9 min.) on the 10th, in his descending node on the 16th, stationary among the stars (see diagram) on the 23rd, and in aphelion on the 26th.

VENUS rises at 2h. 43m. a.m., or 1h. 8m. before the Sun, on the 1st, which interval increases very slowly to 1h. 14m. by the 10th, to 1h. 22m. by the 20th, and to 1h. 27m. by the last day (the planet rising on these days at 2h. 32m. a.m., 2h. 22m. a.m., and 2h. 20m. a.m.). She is near the Moon on the 1st.

MARS rises on the 10th at 9h. 27m. p.m., or 1h. 15m. after sunset; on the 20th at 8h. 40m. p.m., or 22m. after sunset. On the 24th he rises at the same time as the Sun sets, and he rises in daylight from this day to the end of the year. He sets at the same time as the Sun rises on the 17th, and at 2h. 23m. a.m. on the last day. He is due south on the 15th at 0h. 29m. a.m.; on the last day at 1h. 4m. p.m. He is near the Moon on the 19th, and in opposition to the Sun on the 20th.

JUPITER rises in daylight and sets on the 1st at 2h. 11m. a.m., on the 10th at 3h. 34m. a.m., on the 20th at 0h. 54m. a.m., and on the last day at 0h. 15m. a.m. He is due south on the 15th at 7h. 48m. p.m. He is near the Moon on the 13th, and stationary among the stars (see diagram) on the 19th.

SATURN rises on the 10th at 1h. 51m. p.m., or 3h. 39m. after sunset; on the 20th at 11h. 12m. p.m., or 2h. 54m. after sunset; and on the last day at 10h. 32m. p.m., or 2h. 14m. after sunset. He is due south on the 15th at 4h. 23m. a.m.; on the last day at 3h. 22m. a.m. He is stationary among the stars (see diagram) on the 6th, and near the Moon on the 23rd.

JULY.

THE MOON will be situated to the right of Venus on the 1st, near Mercury on the evening of the 2nd, Jupiter on the 10th, Mars on the 15th, Saturn on the evening of the 20th and morning of the 21st, and near Mercury and Venus on the morning of the last day. Her phases or times of change are:—

New Moon on the 3rd at 25 minutes after 5h. in the morning.

First Quarter „ 10th „ 40 „ 10 „ morning.

Full Moon „ 18th „ 27 „ 1 „ afternoon.

Last Quarter „ 25th „ 39 „ 8 „ afternoon.

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She is nearest to the Earth on the afternoon of the 1st, and again on the morning of the 29th, and most distant on the afternoon of the 13th.

MERCURY on the 2nd sets at the same time as the Sun, and from this day to Aug. 23 he sets in daylight. He is a morning star from the 11th, rising at 3h. 54m. a.m., or 4m. before sunrise; on the 14th at 3h. 35m. a.m., or 26m. before sunrise, increasing to 1h. 21m. by the 24th, and to 1h. 37m. by the last day. He is near the Moon on the 3rd, in inferior conjunction with the Sun on the 6th, stationary among the stars (see diagram) on the 17th, near Venus on the 20th, at his greatest western elongation (19 deg. 36 min.) on the 27th, and near the Moon on the last day.

VENUS is a morning star, rising on the 10th at 2h. 25m. a.m., or 1h. 32m. before sunrise; on the 20th at 2h. 35m. a.m., or 1h. 29m. before sunrise; on the last day at 3h. 2m. a.m., or 1h. 22m. before sunrise. She is near the Moon on the 1st, in her ascending node at midnight on the 20th, and again near the Moon on the last day.

MARS is an evening star, and is visible till he sets, on the 10th, at 1h. 32m. a.m., on the 20th at 0h. 47m. a.m., on the 30th at 0h. 9m. a.m. He is due south on the 15th at 9h. 51m. p.m., on the last day at 8h. 46m. p.m. He is near the Moon on the 15th, and stationary among the stars (see diagram) on the 23th.

JUPITER is an evening star, setting on the 10th at 11h. 36m. p.m., or 3h. 23m. after sunset; on the 20th at 10h. 58m. p.m., or 2h. 54m. after sunset; on the 30th at 10h. 21m. p.m., or 2h. 32m. after sunset. He is due south on the 15th, at 5h. 54m. p.m. He is near the Moon on the 10th, and in quadrature with the Sun on the 15th.

SATURN rises on the 10th at 9h. 52m. p.m., or 1h. 39m. after sunset; on the 20th at 9h. 13m. p.m., or 1h. 9m. after sunset; on the 30th at 8h. 32m. p.m., or 43m. after sunset. He is due south on the 15th at 2h. 21m. a.m.; on the last day at 1h. 14m. a.m. He is near the Moon on the 20th.

AUGUST.

THE MOON will be to the left of Jupiter on the evening of the 7th, near

Mars on the evening of the 12th, near Saturn on the evening of the 16th and morning of the 17th, near Venus on the 30th, and near Mercury on the last day. Her phases or times of change are:—

New Moon	on the 1st at 28 minutes after 1h. in the afternoon.
First Quarter	" 9th " 30 " 3 " morning.
Full Moon	" 17th " 34 " 1 " morning.
Last Quarter	" 24th " 39 " 1 " morning.
New Moon	" 30th " 41 " 11 " afternoon.

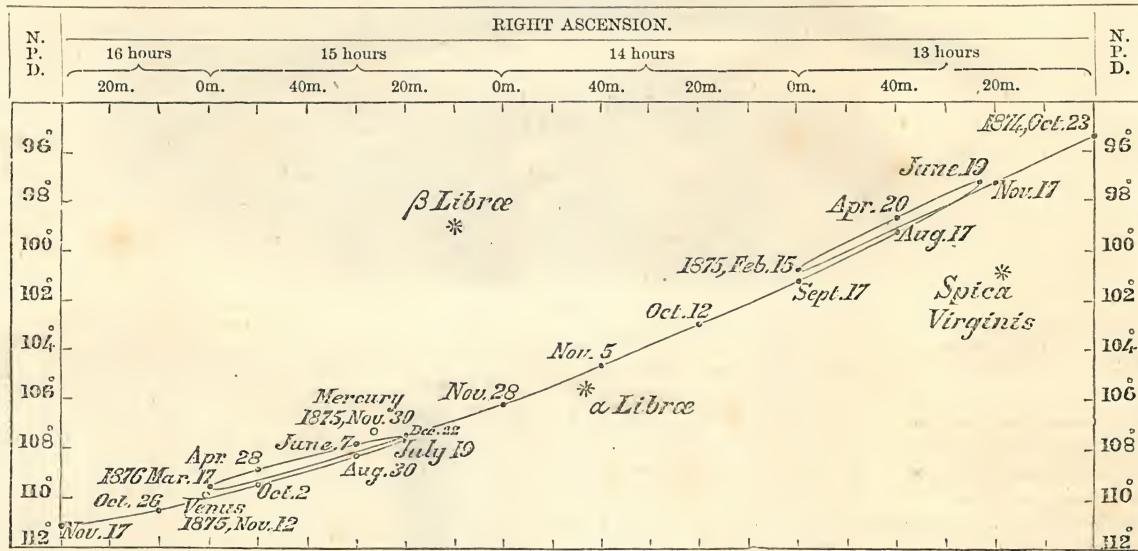
She is nearest to the Earth at noon on the 21th, and most distant on the morning of the 10th.

MERCURY is a morning star till the 23rd, rising on the 3rd at 2h. 51m. a.m., or 1h. 37m. before the sun; the interval decreasing gradually to 1h. 24m. by the 8th, to 59m. by the 13th, and to 29m. by the 18th, the planet rising at 3h. 12m. a.m., 3h. 45m. a.m., 4h. 22m. a.m. respectively on these days; on the 23rd the Sun and planet rise together; and from this day to Oct. 29 he rises in daylight. He is in his ascending node on the 5th, in perihelion on the 9th, near Venus on the 10th, in superior conjunction with the Sun on the 22nd, and near the Moon on the last day.

VENUS is a morning star, rising on the 9th at 3h. 24m. a.m., or 1h. 14m. before the Sun, which interval gradually decreases to 57m. by the 19th, the planet rising at 3h. 55m. a.m.; and she rises at 4h. 26m. a.m., or 42m. before the Sun on the 29th. She is nearest the Sun on the 23rd, and near the Moon on the 30th.

MARS is an evening star, setting on the 9th at 11h. 37m. p.m., or 4h. 5m. after sunset; on the 19th at 11h. 10m. p.m., or 3h. 57m. after sunset; and on the 29th at 10h. 48m. p.m., or 3h. 55m. after sunset. He is due south on the 15th at 7h. 59m. p.m.; and on the last day at 7h. 22m. p.m. He is near the Moon on the 12th.

JUPITER is an evening star, setting on the 9th at 9h. 43m. p.m., or 2h. 11m. after sunset, which interval gradually decreases to 1h. 54m. by the 19th, the planet setting at 9h. 7m. p.m.; he sets on the 29th at 8h. 31m. p.m., or



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1h. 38m. after sunset. He is due south on the 15th at 4h. 5m. p.m. He is near the Moon on the 7th.

SATURN rises on the 9th at 7h. 52m. p.m., or 20m. after sunset; on the 18th at the same time as the Sun sets; and from this time to the end of the year he rises in daylight. He sets on the 16th at the same time as the Sun rises; on the 19th 20m. before sunrise; and on the 29th 1h. 20m. before sunrise. He is due south on the 16th at 0h. 11m. a.m.; on the last day at 10h. 59m. p.m. He is in opposition to the Sun on the 16th, and near the Moon on the same day.

SEPTEMBER.

THE MOON will be near Jupiter on the evening of the 4th; to the left of Mars on the 9th; near Saturn during the evening hours of the 12th and early morning hours of the 13th; and near Venus on the 29th, the day of New Moon. Her phases or times of change are:—

First Quarter	on the 7th at 38 minutes after 9h. in the afternoon.
Full Moon	" 15th " 42 " 0 " afternoon.
Last Quarter	" 22nd " 0 " 7 " morning.
New Moon	" 29th " 55 " 0 " afternoon.

She is nearest to the Earth on the morning of the 19th, and most distant on the morning of the 7th.

MERCURY is an evening star, setting on the 2nd at 7h. 8m. p.m., or 24m. after the Sun; on the 7th at 7h. 0m. p.m., or 23m. after the Sun; on the 12th at 6h. 50m. p.m., or 30m. after the Sun; on the 17th at 6h. 35m. p.m., or 29m. respectively after the Sun; on the last day at 6h. 9m. p.m., or 28m. after the Sun. He is in his descending node on the 12th, and in apHELION on the 22nd.

VENUS is a morning star till the 27th, rising on the 8th at 4h. 57m. a.m., or 28m. before sunrise; on the 18th at 5h. 29m. a.m., or 11m. before sunrise; on the 27th the Sun and planet rise together; and from this day to the end of the year the planet rises in daylight. She is in superior conjunction with the Sun on the 23rd, and near the Moon on the 29th.

MARS is an evening star, setting on the 8th at 10h. 31m. p.m., or 4h. 2m. after sunset; which interval gradually increases to 4h. 1m. by the 18th, and to 4h. 25m. by the 28th, the planet setting on these evenings at 10h. 18m. p.m. and 10h. 10m. p.m. He is due south in the middle of the month at

6h. 54m. p.m.; on the last day at 6h. 32m. p.m. He is near the Moon on the 9th.

JUPITER is an evening star, setting at 7h. 54m. p.m., or 1h. 25m. after the Sun on the 8th; at 7h. 18m. p.m., or 1h. 11m. after the Sun, on the 18th; at 6h. 43m. p.m., or 58m. after the Sun, on the 28th. He is due south on the 15th at 2h. 22m. p.m. He is near the Moon on the 4th.

SATURN sets on the 8th at 3h. 5m. a.m., or 2h. 20m. before sunrise; on the 18th at 2h. 24m. a.m., or 3h. 16m. before sunrise; on the 28th at 1h. 41m. a.m., or 4h. 15m. before sunrise. He is due south on the 15th at 9h. 56m. p.m.; on the last day at 8h. 54m. p.m. He is near the Moon on the 13th.

OCTOBER.

THE MOON will be situated a little to the left of Mercury, and to the right of Jupiter, on the evening of the 1st; to the right of Mars on the evening of the 7th; and to his left on the evening of the 8th. She is situated to the right of Saturn on the evening of the 9th, and to the left on the evening of the 10th; near Mercury and Jupiter on the 29th; and near Venus on the 30th. Her phases or times of change are:—

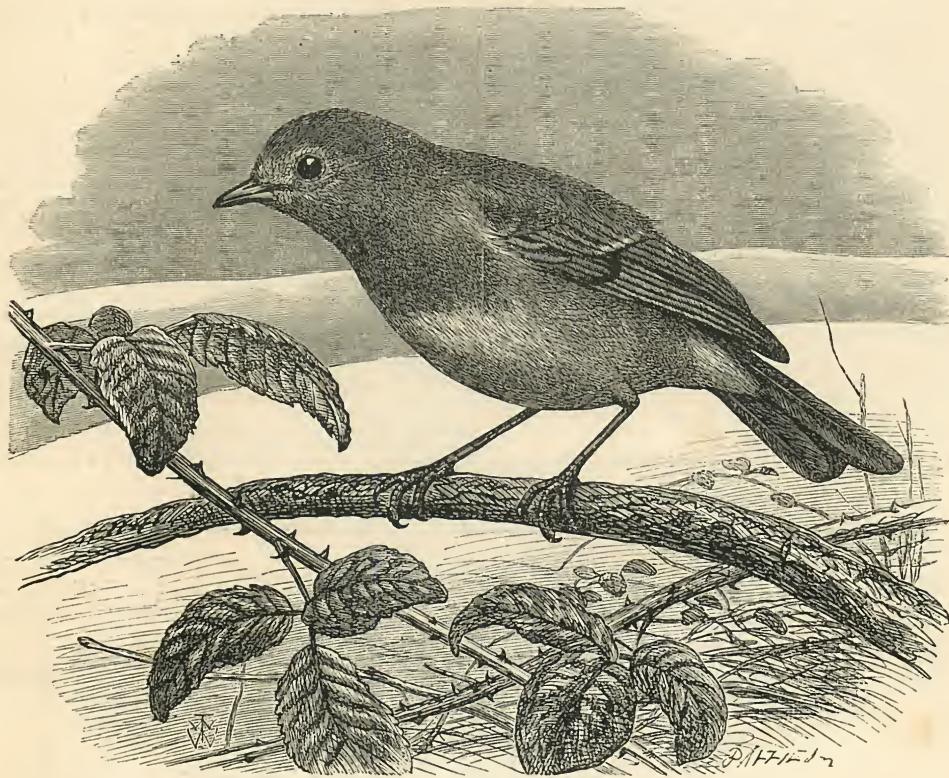
First Quarter	on the 7th at 5 minutes after 4h. in the afternoon.
Full Moon	" 14th " 14 " 11 " afternoon.
Last Quarter	" 21st " 13 " 2 " afternoon.
New Moon	" 28th " 13 " 5 " morning.

She is nearest to the Earth on the afternoon of the 16th, and most distant on the afternoon of the 4th.

MERCURY is an evening star, setting 26m. respectively after sunset on the 2nd, 7th, and 12th; 21m. on the 17th; 14m. on the 22nd; the planet setting on these days at 6h. 4m. p.m., 5h. 52m. p.m., 5h. 39m. p.m., 5h. 23m. p.m., and 5h. 6m. p.m. On the 29th the Sun and planet set together; and from this day to the end of the year the planet sets in daylight. He is near the Moon on the 1st, near Jupiter on the 5th, at his greatest eastern elongation (25 deg. 16 min.) on the 6th, stationary among the stars (see diagram) on the 18th, near Venus on the 25th, near Jupiter again this month on the 26th, near the Moon on the 29th, in inferior conjunction with the Sun on the 30th, and in his ascending node at midnight on the 31st.

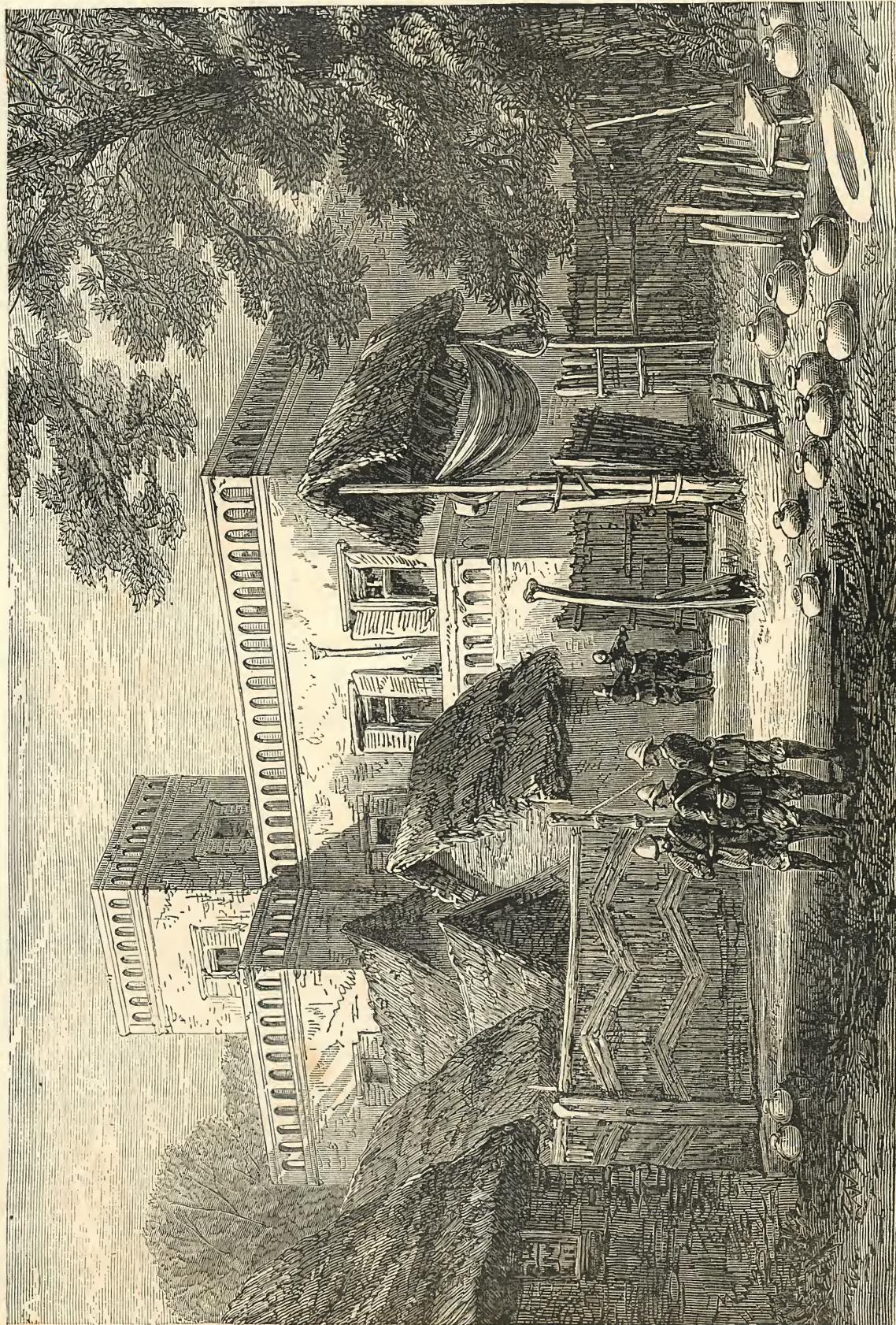
VENUS is an evening star, setting on the 8th at 5h. 25m. p.m., or 13h. (Continued on page 48.)

DECEMBER.



ROBIN.

D. OF M.	ANNIVERSARIES, FESTIVALS, OCCURRENCES, ETC.	SUN.			MOON.			DURATION OF MOONLIGHT.												HIGH WATER AT				Day of Year	
		Rises.		Souths before Noon.	Sets.		Rises. Morn.		Sets. Aftern.		Before Sunrise.		After Sunset.		London Bridge.		Liverpool Dock.		Morn.		Aftern.				
		H. M.	M. S.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	O'Clock.	Moon's Age.	O'Clock.	Morn.	Aftern.	H. M.	H. M.	Morn.	Aftern.	H. M.	H. M.	Morn.	Aftern.				
1	W Princess of Wales born, 1844	7	46	10 52	3	53	11	22	6	9		4												335	
2	Th Queen Adelaide died, 1849	7	47	10 29	3	52	11	51	7	21		5												336	
3	F Samuel Crompton born, 1753	7	48	10 5	3	52	Aftern.		8	36		6												337	
4	S Length of day, sh. 2m.	7	49	9 41	3	51	0	30	9	54		7												338	
5	2ND SUNDAY IN ADVENT	7	51	9 17	3	51	0	43	11	12		8												339	
6	M St. Nicholas	7	52	8 51	3	51	0	54	Morn.			9												340	
7	Tu Marshal Ney shot, 1815	7	53	8 26	3	50	1	5	0	29		10												341	
8	W Conception of Virgin Mary	7	54	8 0	3	50	1	17	1	51		11												342	
9	Th Vandyke died, 1641	7	56	7 33	3	50	1	31	3	15		12												343	
10	F Hogarth (painter) born, 1697	7	57	7 6	3	49	1	50	4	46		13												344	
11	S Grouse-shooting ends	7	58	6 38	3	49	2	21	6	19		14												345	
12	S 3RD SUNDAY IN ADVENT	7	59	6 11	3	49	3	1	7	53		15												346	
13	M Lucy, Virgin and Martyr	8	0	5 42	3	49	4	2	9	14		16												347	
14	Tu Prince Albert died, 1861	8	1	5 14	3	49	5	23	10	16		17												348	
15	W Isaak Walton died, 1683	8	2	4 45	3	49	6	53	10	56		18												349	
16	Th Cambridge Michaelmas Term ends	8	3	4 16	3	49	8	23	11	23		19												350	
17	F Oxford Michaelmas Term ends	8	4	3 47	3	49	9	48	11	40		20												351	
18	S Wesley born, 1708	8	5	3 17	3	50	11	7	11	52		21												352	
19	S 4TH SUNDAY IN ADVENT	8	5	2 47	3	50	Morn.	Aftern.				22													353
20	M Length of day, 7h. 44m.	8	6	2 18	3	50	0	22	0	16		23												354	
21	Tu St. Thomas	8	6	1 48	3	51	1	36	0	27		24												355	
22	W Percival shot, 1788	8	6	1 18	3	51	2	49	0	37		25												356	
23	Th Prince Albert buried, 1861	8	7	0 48	3	51	4	2	0	52		26												357	
24	F George I. (Greece) born, 1845	8	7	0 18	3	52	5	18	1	9		27												358	
25	S CHRISTMAS DAY	8	8	Aftern.	3	53	6	29	1	35		28												359	
26	S 1ST SUND. AFT. CHRISTMAS	8	8	0 42	3	53	7	37	2	11		29												360	
27	M St. John the Evangelist	8	9	1 12	3	54	8	36	2	58		30												361	
28	Tu Innocents' Day	8	9	1 42	3	55	9	20	4	0		31												362	
29	W Stafford executed, 1689	8	9	2 11	3	56	9	54	5	11		32												363	
30	Th Pegu annexed, 1852	8	9	2 41	3	57	10	18	6	26		33												364	
31	F Silvester, Bishop	8	9	3 10	3	58	10	36	7	43		34												365	



THE KING OF ASIANTEE'S PALACE AT COOMASIE, VIEWED FROM THE EAST.—FROM "THE ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS."

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after sunset; on the 18th at 5h. 18m. p.m., or 18m. after sunset; on the 28th at 5h. 2m. p.m., or 23m. after sunset. She is near Jupiter on the 25th, and near the Moon on the 30th.

MARS is an evening star, setting on the 8th at 10h. 6m. p.m., or 4h. 41m. after sunset; on the 18th at 10h. 3m. p.m., or 5h. 3m. after sunset; on the 28th at 10h. 3m. p.m., or 5h. 24m. after sunset. He is due south on the 15th at 6h. 13m. p.m.; on the last day at 5h. 54m. p.m. He is nears the Sun on the 4th, near the Moon on the 8th, and in quadrature with the Sun on the 23rd.

JUPITER is still an evening star, setting on the 8th at 6h. 8m. p.m., or 43m. after sunset; on the 18th at 5h. 33m. p.m., or 33m. after sunset; on the 28th at 4h. 58m. p.m., or 19m. after sunset. He is due south on the 15th at 0h. 48m. p.m. He is near the Moon on the 1st, and again on the 29th.

SATURN sets on the 8th at 1h. 0m. a.m., or 5h. 14m. before sunrise; on the 18th at 0h. 20m. a.m., or 6h. 30m. before sunrise; on the 28th at 1h. 40m. p.m., or 7h. 1m. after sunset. He is due south in the middle of the month at 7h. 54m. p.m.; and on the last day at 6h. 51m. p.m. He is near the Moon on the 10th, and stationary among the stars (see diagram) on the 24th.

NOVEMBER.

THE MOON will be near Mars on the 5th, Saturn on the 6th, Jupiter and Mercury on the 26th, and near Venus on the 29th. Her phases or times of change are:—

First Quarter	on the 6th at 52 minutes after 9h. in the morning.
Full Moon	" 13th " 30 " 9 " morning.
Last Quarter	" 20th " 37 " 0 " morning.
New Moon	" 27th " 44 " 11 " afternoon.

She is nearest to the Earth on the morning of the 14th, and most distant on the afternoon of the 1st, and again on the afternoon of the 28th.

MERCURY is a morning star, rising at 6h. 25m. a.m. on the 1st, or 31m. before the Sun; at 5h. 39m. a.m. on the 6th, or 1h. 25m. before the Sun;

at 5h. 20m. a.m. on the 11th, or 1h. 52m. before the Sun; at 5h. 24m. a.m. on the 16th, or 1h. 59m. before the Sun; at 5h. 41m. a.m. on the 21st, or 1h. 49m. before the Sun; and at 6h. 22m. a.m. on the last day, or 1h. 22m. before the Sun. He is in perihelion on the 5th, stationary among the stars (see diagram) on the 7th, at his greatest western elongation (19 deg. 17 min.) on the 15th, near Jupiter on the 25th, and near the Moon on the 26th.

VENUS is an evening star, setting at 4h. 51m. p.m. on the 7th, at 4h. 45m. p.m. on the 17th, and at 4h. 49m. p.m. on the 27th; being 28m., 36m., and 53m. respectively after sunset on these evenings. She is in her descending node on the 9th, and near the Moon on the 29th.

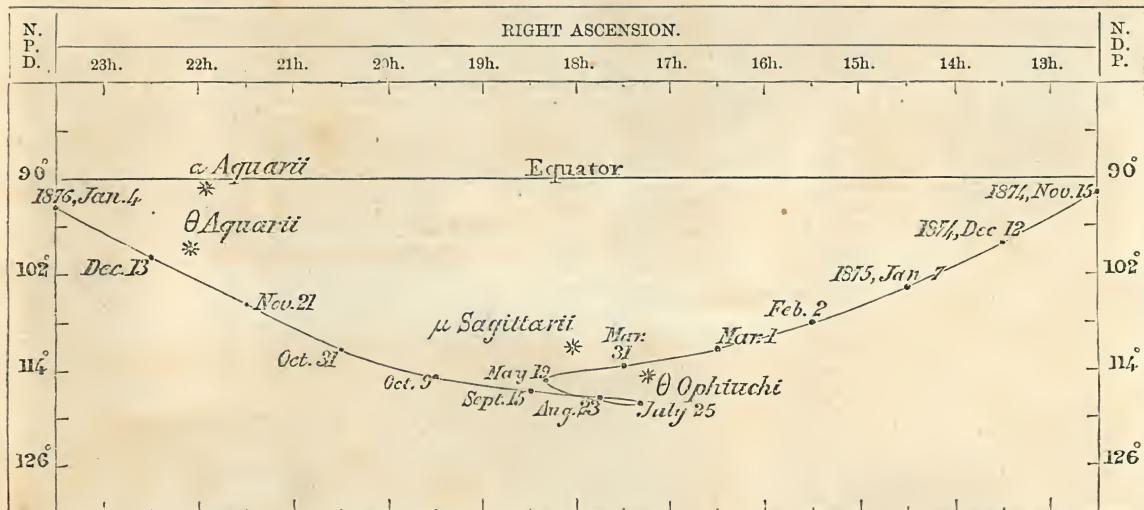
MARS is an evening star, setting on the 7th at 5h. 41m. after the Sun; on the 17th at 5h. 56m. after the Sun; on the 27th 6h. 11m. after the Sun (the planet setting on these days at 10h. 4m. p.m., 10h. 5m. p.m., and 10h. 7m. p.m.). He is due south on the 15th at 5h. 37m. p.m.; on the last day at 5h. 19m. p.m. He is near the Moon on the 5th, and near Saturn on the 22nd.

JUPITER sets on the 1st at 4h. 48m. p.m., or 16m. after sunset; on the 7th the planet and sun set together; and after this time to the end of the year he sets in daylight. On the 4th he rises with the Sun; on the 7th at 6h. 51m. a.m., or 14m. before sunrise; increasing to 1h. by the 17th, and to 1h. 43m. by the 27th. He is due south on the 15th at 11h. 12m. a.m. He is near the Sun on the 4th, and near the Moon on the 26th.

SATURN is an evening star, setting on the 7th at 11h. 2m. p.m., on the 17th at 10h. 25m. p.m., and on the 27th at 9h. 48m. p.m. He is due south on the 15th at 5h. 53m. p.m.; on the last day at 4h. 57m. p.m. He is near the Moon on the 6th, and in quadrature with the Sun on the 12th.

DECEMBER.

THE MOON will be situated to the right of Saturn on the evening of the 3rd, and to the left on the evening of the 4th; she is very near Mars on the



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evening of the 4th, near Jupiter on the morning of the 24th, Mercury on the 27th, Venus on the 29th, and Saturn on the last day. Her phases or times of change are:—

First Quarter	on the 6th at 56 minutes after 1h. in the morning.
Full Moon	" 12th " 45 " 7 " afternoon.
Last Quarter	" 19th " 56 " 2 " afternoon.
New Moon	" 27th " 4 " 7 " afternoon.

She is nearest to the Earth on the afternoon of the 12th, and most distant on the afternoon of the 25th.

MERCURY rises 1h. 19m. before sunrise on the 1st, 59m. on the 6th, 40m. on the 11th, 23m. on the 16th, and 4m. on the 21st; the planet rising on these days at 6h. 27m. a.m., 6h. 53m. a.m., 7h. 18m. a.m., 7h. 40m. a.m., and 8h. 2m. a.m. On the 22nd the planet and Sun rise together, and the planet rises in daylight to the end of the year after this time. He is in his descending node on the 9th, in aphelion on the 19th, in superior conjunction with the Sun on the 26th, and near the Moon on the 27th.

VENUS is an evening star, setting on the 7th at 4h. 59m. p.m., or 1h. 9m. after the Sun; which interval increases to 1h. 31m. by the 17th, to 1h. 51m. by the 27th, and to 2h. 0m. by the last day, the planet setting at 5h. 20m. p.m., 5h. 45m. p.m., and 5h. 58m. p.m. respectively on these evenings. She is at her greatest distance from the Sun on the 13th, and near the Moon on the 29th.

MARS is still an evening star, setting on the 7th at 10h. 11m. p.m., or 6h. 21m. after the Sun; on the 17th at 10h. 14m. p.m., or 6h. 25m. after the Sun; on the 27th at 10h. 15m. p.m., or 6h. 21m. after the Sun; on the last day at 4h. 21m. a.m., or 3h. 45m. before the Sun. He is due south on the 15th at 5h. 0m. p.m.; on the last day at 4h. 40m. p.m. He is near the Moon on the 4th.

JUPITER is a morning star, rising on the 7th at 5h. 29m. a.m., or 2h. 14m. before the Sun; on the 17th at 5h. 1m. a.m., or 3h. 3m. before the Sun; on the 27th at 4h. 32m. a.m., or 3h. 37m. before the Sun; and on the last day at 4h. 21m. a.m., or 3h. 45m. before the Sun. He is due south on the 15th at 6h. 40m. a.m. He is near the Moon on the 24th.

SATURN is an evening star, setting on the 7th at 9h. 12m. p.m., on the 17th at 8h. 37m. p.m., on the 27th at 8h. 3m. p.m., and on the last day at 7h. 50m. p.m. He is due south on the 15th at 4h. 2m. p.m.; on the last day at 3h. 5m. p.m. He is near the Moon on the 4th, and again on the last day.

ECLIPSES IN 1875.

The first is a Total Eclipse of the Sun, on April 6, invisible from Europe. It begins on the Earth generally at about 8h. 55m. in the morning of the 6th Greenwich mean time, in longitude 35 $\frac{1}{2}$ deg. east of Greenwich and in latitude 33 deg. 4 min. south, not far from the southernmost part of Africa in the Indian Ocean, and near Natal. The central line passes across the Indian Ocean, somewhat south of Madagascar, north of Sumatra, and near to Formosa. The eclipse ends in longitude 134 $\frac{1}{2}$ deg. east of Greenwich and north latitude 23 $\frac{1}{2}$ deg. nearly, at 4 minutes after 9h. a.m.

The Central Eclipse begins at about 4h. 54m., a.m., Greenwich mean time, and ends about 8h. 20m. a.m. It will be seen as a partial eclipse from the southern part of Africa, from China, and from the several islands between Australasia and China.

When the centres of the Sun and Moon are in the same straight line with the eye of the observer, and the apparent diameter of the Moon is greater than that of the Sun, the eclipse of the Sun will be total, as in the preceding case, but when her apparent diameter be less than that of the Sun the eclipse will be annular; and such will be the case in the second eclipse of this year, which takes place on Sept. 29, 1875, and visible as a partial eclipse from Greenland, Iceland, England, Spain, and the greater part of Africa.

It begins on the Earth generally at 10h. 1m. a.m. Greenwich mean time, in longitude 60 deg. 56 min. west of Greenwich, and latitude 33 deg. 10 min. north, in the North Atlantic Ocean, at a point south of Nova Scotia and east of Philadelphia; passes nearly over the Cape de Verd Islands, north of Sierra Leone, over the Gulf of Guinea, across Africa, to a point whose longitude is 29 deg. 55 min. east of Greenwich and latitude 20 $\frac{1}{2}$ deg.

The central eclipse begins at 11h. 7m., and ends at 2h. 49m., Greenwich mean time.

At London a partial eclipse is visible, amounting only to a little more than one tenth of the Sun's diameter at its greatest phase. The eclipse begins at 11h. 25m. a.m., its greatest phase takes place 0h. 7m., and it ends at 0h. 47m.

At Dublin the eclipse begins at 10h. 44m. a.m., its greatest phase is at 11h. 32m. a.m., and it ends at 0h. 20m., mean time at Dublin.

At Edinburgh the eclipse begins at 11h. 10m. a.m., its greatest phase is at 11h. 48m., and it ends at 0h. 24m., mean time at Edinburgh.

